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Births.

ALLEN.—September 1, at her residence, Tranby, Mansfield-street, Glebe Point, the wife of W. Boyes Allen, of a daughter.

CHIENE.—On the 29th August, at Avoca-street, Randwick, the wife of G. S. Chiene, of a son.

DIXSON.—August 16, at Violet-terrace, Randwick, the wife of G. D. Dixson, of a son.

DUNN.—August 28, at her residence, Fulwah Downs, Oaks, near Picton, the wife of Charles Dunn, of a son.

FULLAGAR.—August 24, at her residence, Hillcrest, Parramatta, the wife of H. W. C. Fullagar, of a daughter.

HAYES.—August 3, at her residence, 632, Crown-street, the wife of P. Hayes, of a son.

JAMIESON.—August 29, at her residence, 4, Goodhope-street, Glenmore-road, the wife of G. T. Jamieson, of a daughter.

LANDERS.—August 20, 1887, at 12, Waverley-road, Woollahra, the wife of A. M. Landers, of a son.

M'ALPINE.—August 26, at her residence, 1, Walker's-terrace, Abbot-street, Macdonaldtown, the wife of M'Intosh M'Alpine, of a daughter.

M'CREDIE.—August 31, at her residence, Clifton, Boyce-street, Glebe Point, the wife of A. L. M'Credie, of a son.

M'KNIGHT.—July 30, at Ivy Cottage, Marrickville, the wife of J. A. M'Knight, of a son.

MORRIS.—August 25, at Botany View, John-street, Marrickville, Mrs. Benjamin Morris, of a son.

MOSES.—July 3, 1885, Windsor, the wife of William Moses, of a daughter.

MOSES.—August 27, 1887, Windsor, the wife of William Moses, of a son.

SAXTON.—August 22, at her residence, Magenta, New Caledonia, the wife of G. C. Saxton, of a son.

SWAN.—August 29, at Glenleigh, Penrith, the wife of James Swan, of a daughter.

VAUGHAN.—August 16, Glebe Point Pharmacy, 149, Glebe-road, Mrs. Gilbert Vaughan, of a son.

Marriages.

ALLAN—CRUICKSHANK.—August 31, at Balmain West, by the Rev. Geo. Grimm, M.A., William S. Allan to Helen, youngest daughter of Mr. James Cruickshank, Aberdeenshire, Scotland.

ARMSTRONG—NOBLE.—August 15, at St. Clement's Church, Marrickville, by the Rev. E. H. Wright, Gerrad, fifth son of Robert Armstrong, Crookhaven, to Annie, third daughter of Angus Noble, Shoalhaven.

ATKINS—AITKENHEAD.—August 17, at St. Paul's Church, Redfern, by the Rev. F. B. Boyce, William Denison, second son of Mr. J. T. Atkins, of George-street, Redfern, to Isabella (Belle), eldest daughter of Mr. William Aitkenhead, of Sydney.

BUCHANAN—M'ENERY.—September 1, at St. Philip's Church, by the Rev. John Langley, John Alexander Buchanan to Margaret M'Enery, both of Sydney.

COLDHAM—MOFFITT.—August 31, at St. James' Church, Croydon, by the Rev. M. Gray, Henry Albert, third son of the late John Coldham, of Grasmdale, Victoria, to Helen Gordon, fifth daughter of the late Andrew Moffitt, M.D., of Sydney.

HILL—EAMES.—July 31, at St. Paul's, Roma, Queensland, by the Rev. A. Allnutt, William Percival, eldest son of the Rev. William Hill, of Wagga, N. S. Wales, to Emilie Frances, eldest daughter of the late John Eames, of New England, N. S. W.

HOLMES—GREEN.—August 20, at St. Matthias' Church, Paddington, by the Rev. Zachary Barry, LL.D., William, second son of Mr. William Holmes, chief clerk Military Staff Office, to Susan Ellen, eldest daughter of Mr. Henry Green, W.O., Victoria Barracks.

MOORE—JONES.—June 29, at the Wesleyan Chapel, Glenmoore, by the Rev. H. Woodhouse, Charles Green, eldest son of James Moore, of Glendiver, Oaks, to Mary Louisa, second daughter of the late E. W. Jones, of Nanderville, Oaks.

Deaths.

BELL.—August 31, at Armidale, Samuel Bell, second son of the late David Bell, solicitor, of Dublin, aged 58. Melbourne and Home papers please copy.

BURNE.—August 23, at Willoh, Bokhara River, Jane Isabel Burne, aged 62 years, relict of the late Lawford Burne, of Moate, Westmeath, Ireland.

FARRELL.—September 2, at his mother's residence, 90, Cambridge-terrace, Newtown-road, suddenly, Charles Anthony Farrell, solicitor. R. I. P.

KIRKLAND.—August 31, at his residence, Petersham, Robert Kirkland, aged 71 years, father of John Kirkland, machinery merchant.

LAW CHONG.—September 2, at her parents' residence, 113, Gloucester-street, Amy Constance, seventh daughter of Joseph and Margaret Law Chong, aged 3 years.

RODD.—August 29, at Balmain, Lionel Dorrell Bamfield, only son of William John and Lissie Rodd, aged 6 years and 5 months.

STILES.—August 17, at her late residence, George-street, Windsor, Elizabeth Stiles, relict of the late John Stiles, Esq., C.P.S., of Yass, aged 71 years.

In Memoriam.

ATTWILL.—In loving remembrance of my loving wife, Mary Jane Attwill, who departed this life on September 3rd, 1886. Inserted by her loving husband.

ATTWILL.—In loving remembrance of my dear sister, Mary Jane, beloved wife of John Attwill, stationmaster, Sutherland, who died at her residence September 3rd, 1886. Inserted by her loving and only sister, Annie Minter.

LINDSAY.—In fond and loving remembrance of my dearly beloved father, William C. Lindsay, who departed this life on 3rd September, in the year 1886. Inserted by his son. Home papers please copy.

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YARRA	Poydenot	Oct. 1	Oct. 5
OCEANIEN	W. Didier	Oct. 29	Nov. 2

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*Shannon	4189	J. S. Murray	Sept. 16	Sept. 20	Sept. 23
†Rome	5011	W. Barratt	Sept. 30	Oct. 4	Oct. 8
†Clyde	4136	E. M. Edmond	Oct. 14	Oct. 20	Oct. 22
†Chusan	4496	H. Wyatt	Oct. 28	Nov. 3	Nov. 5

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NURNBERG	H. Engelbart	Sept. 15	Sept. 17	Sept. 19
HABSBURG	—	Oct. 11	Oct. 15	Oct. 17

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ARAWA	5026	5000	Sept. 17.
IONIC	4753	3500	Oct. 15.
COPTIC	4448	3000	Nov. 12.
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Tongariro	4163	4000	September 22
Aorangi	4163	4000	October 20
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Port Phillip	2871	Dulling	September 14th.
Port Pirie	2610	Hepworth	September 24th.
Afghan	2302	Roy	October 5th.

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MELBOURNE Wharf direct	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 6
Ditto	Katoomba	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 9
BRISBANE	City of Melbou'e	This day, 2 p.m., Sept. 3
Ditto	*Victoria	This day, 3 p.m., Sept. 3
Ditto	Warrego	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 6
Ditto	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
Ditto	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 9
Ditto	Quiraing	Saturday, 2 p.m., Sept. 10
MARYBOROUGH Friday's steamer without changing; Tuesday's steamer changes at Brisbane	Warrego	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 6
	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 9
BUNDABERG and GLADSTONE without changing	Glanworth	Wed'sday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
	Eurimbla	Wed'day, 5 p.m., Sept. 14
ROCKHAMPTON Wednesdays' and Fridays' steamers direct without changing; Tuesdays' and Saturdays' steamers change at Keppel Bay	City of Melb'ne	This day, 2 p.m., Sept. 3
	Warrego	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 6
	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 9
	Quiraing	Saturday, 2 p.m., Sept. 10
BOWEN, *PORT MACKAY (Flat Top), TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS	Warrego	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 6.
PORT DOUGLAS & COOKTOWN Tuesdays' and Saturdays' steamers direct without changing; Wednesdays' steamers change at Brisbane	City of Melb'ne	This day, 2 p.m., Sept. 3
	Warrego	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 6
	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
	Quiraing	Saturday, 2 p.m., Sept. 10
DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR (Change at Cleveland Bay)	City of Melb'ne	This day, 2 p.m., Sept. 3
THURSDAY IS'D, NORMANTON (nearest port to the Croydon Goldfields) without changing; BURKETOWN (changing at Normanton)	*Victoria, from Circular Quay	This day, 3 p.m., Sept. 3
NOUMEA, SUVA, Fiji, LEVUKA, Fiji	Fijian	Wed'sday, 5 p.m., Sept. 14
ADELAIDE	By early steamer	

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YEOMAN	2236 tons	November
MURRUMBIDGEE	2900 tons	December

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FRIDAY, Sept. 9th, 4 p.m.	GABO	J. Pain
SATURDAY, 10th inst., 12 noon	BARRABOOL	L. Tindal

For ADELAIDE (via Melbourne).

TUESDAY, Sept. 6, at 12 noon	GAMBIER	R. R. Brown
TUESDAY, Sept. 13th, 12 noon	KONOOWARRA	J. Tozer

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TUESDAY, Sept. 6, at 4 p.m.	DERWENT	G. Smith
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Leave Sydney, 10.15, 11, 12, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 5.45, 7.
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For PARRAMATTA PARK, DUNDAS, ERMINGTON, NEWINGTON, SUBIACO: 6.30, 9, 10*, and 10, 11, 1, 2*, 3, 5.5.
RYDE, MORTLAKE, &c.: 6.30, 9, 10*, and 10, 11 a.m.; 1, 2*, 3, 3.45†, 4.15, 5.5, 7, 11.15 p.m. Ryde, Mon., Wed., Sat., only, 11.15 p.m.
GLADESVILLE and CHISWICK: 6.30, 9, 10, and 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 11.15 p.m. Saturday, 9.30 p.m.
FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, and BURWOOD: 6.30, 10 a.m.; 12.30, 4.15, 5.5†, 6.15 p.m., (via Ryde 11.15 p.m.); Sat., 9.30 p.m.
VILLA MARIA: 7.15, 9, 10 and 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45†, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 8, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.
HUNTER'S HILL, LONG NOSE, COCKATOO, and DRUMMOYNE PARK: 6.30, 7.15, 9, 10 and 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45†, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 8, 8.45, (9 Saturday only), 9.30, 11.15 p.m.

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SUNDAYS.—LIME-STREET, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 9.30.
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From Rose Bay: 8.15 a.m., 9.30, 10.40; 1.45 p.m., 3.15, 4.50, 5.50, calling at intermediate wharfs each way.
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1. "Once Again" ... Sullivan. Mr. W. WALSHE.
2. Violin Solo—"Hungarian Airs" ... Ernst. Herr JOHANN RHODES.
3. "The Swiss Echo Song" ... Eckert. AMY SHERWIN.
4. Buffo Song—"Funniculi, Funnicula" ... Denza. Signor LUIGI LENCIONI.
5. Violin Solo—"The Mother's Prayer" ... Ole Bull. Herr JOHANN RHODES.
6. "Sestette," from "Lucia" ... Donizetti. AMY SHERWIN and COMPANY. Interval of 10 Minutes.
7. "Trust Her Not" ... Balfe. Signor LUIGI LENCIONI.
8. "Lo! Hear the Gentle Lark" ... Bishop. (with Flute Obligato—Signor Alfonso Pagnotti) AMY SHERWIN.
9. "Tell Me, Mary, How to Woo Thee" ... Hudson. Mr. W. WALSHE.
10. Violin Solos { a. "Reverie" / b. "St. Patrick's Day" } Vieux temps. Herr JOHANN RHODES.

To conclude with

11. Grand Act and Duo, "Don Pasquale" ... Donizetti.

Norina ... AMY SHERWIN
Don Pasquale ... Signor Luigi Lencioni

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The Management, finding it impossible confidently to announce the Theatre absolutely ready for the reception of the public this day, Saturday, the 3rd instant, have decided to POSTPONE THE OPENING until SATURDAY Next, the 10th instant, on which date the OPENING will POSITIVELY take place, by which means all the unpleasant odours appertaining to new decorations will have subsided, and ladies can take their seats without fear of injury to their costumes.

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TOWN HALL, PETERSHAM.

AN AMATEUR PERFORMANCE of the Opera, H.M.S. PINAFORE will be given, under the Distinguished Patronage of LADY CARRINGTON, on THURSDAY NEXT, September 8, in aid of the QUEEN'S FUND FOR DISTRESSED WOMEN.

FULL ORCHESTRA and CHORUS.

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Conductor ... Mr. Hector R. M'Lean.
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SYDNEY PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.

NOTICE.

CHORUS REHEARSAL of the Creation on TUESDAY NEXT, September 6, at 8 p.m.

ORCHESTRA.—No Rehearsal on Thursday, September 8.

Applications are invited from competent Singers and Instrumentalists desirous of taking part in the performance of the Creation first week in November, and the Messiah on December 25.

Particulars may be obtained from J. J. LOWDEN, Hon. Sec., 189, Clarence-street.

GRAND AMATEUR CONCERT.

Athenæum Hall, Waverley, 8th September.

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The success of the Last Concert, when the gems of Wallace's chef d'œuvre, MARITANA, were so beautifully rendered, has induced the management, through the very liberal support and encouragement received, to render a perhaps greater triumph, Gounod's FAUST. FAUST. FAUST.

To produce this in a style worthy the great composer, Artists have been engaged in addition to the favourites who have already appeared, and Mr. Solomon has determined that nothing shall surpass the CONCERTS given in this theatre, while he continues to receive the generous support of the British Public.

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PROGRAMME.

1. Overture—"Raymond" (first time) ... A. Thomas. GRAND ORCHESTRA.
2. Solo—"The Vagabond" ... Molloy. Mr. FREDERICK SPENCER (his first appearance)
3. Cavatina—"Robert, toi que j'aime" ... Meyerbeer. Miss CLARA VON HOLSTEN.
4. Descriptive Song—"The Wolf" ... Shield. Mr. FREDERICK SPENCER.
5. Solo—"How Beautiful" ... Molloy. Miss CLARA VON HOLSTEN.
6. Recitation—"Virginia" ... Macaulay. Mr. EDWARD REEVE.

Grand VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL SELECTIONS from Gounod's Immortal FAUST.—1st Part.

7. Introduction—"Adagio Molto" (descriptive of Faust disgusted with life, being unable to unravel the mysteries of Nature) GRAND ORCHESTRA.
8. Duetto—"If I Pray" (Faust summons the Evil Spirit to his aid, and by the supernatural power of the latter is restored to youth) Messrs. W. WALSHE and WARWICK GAINOR.

2nd Part.

9. Cavatina—"Even Bravest Heart" (Marguerite's brother, Valentine, leaves his sister to the tender care of Siebel, before going to the field of battle) Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
10. Kermisse—Finale, "Fête of the Villagers" GRAND ORCHESTRA.
11. Strophes—"Gentle Flowers in the Dew," (Siebel's Address to Marguerite) Miss ACTON BLAIR.
12. Cavatina—"What is that Charms Me" (Faust seeking Marguerite) Mr. W. WALSHE.
13. Spinning wheel song—"The King of Thule" (Marguerite)
14. "The Jewel Song" (Marguerite) Miss MAUD LAURENT.
15. Deut and quartet—"But Why" Miss M. LAURENT, Miss ACTON BLAIR. Mrs. W. WALSHE and Mr. WARWICK GANOIR.
16. Invocation—"It was High Time" (Mephistopheles throwing a spell on Faust and Marguerite) Mr. WARWICK GANOIR.
17. Duet—"The Hour is Late" (finale). (Faust conquers the heart of Marguerite) Miss MAUD LAURENT and Mr. W. WALSHE.

4th PART.

18. Romanza—"When o'er thy Joying" (Siebel deploring the loss of Marguerite) Miss ACTON BLAIR.

5th PART.

19. Duetto—"My Heart is Torn." (Faust visits Marguerite in prison) Miss MAUD LAURENT and Mr. W. WALSHE.
20. Terzetto Finale—"Then leave Her." (Marguerite overcome by sorrow and remorse expires, and her spirit, borne by angels, enters its heavenly home) Miss M. LAURENT, Mr. W. WALSHE, and Mr. GAINOR.
21. March—"Glory and Love" (Faust). GRAND ORCHESTRA.

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Conductor ... Mons. Leon Caron
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GRAND INAUGURAL SMOKE CONCERT, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.

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The Programme will include Mozart's Grand Clarionet Quintette, St. Saën's Grand Trio.

Full Programme in future issues.

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IN AID OF THE QUEEN'S FUND.—A LITERARY and MUSICAL MATINEE will be given by Miss MEARES, Elocutionist, assisted by Mrs. Foster, Mrs. M'Donald, Miss Glendinning, and others, at the Temperance Hall, September 17, under distinguished patronage.

THE CONCERT in aid of the Building Fund of Presbyterian Church, Liverpool-road, Ashfield, Postponed from 31st ultimo, will take place TUESDAY EVENING next, 6th instant. Tickets, 1s 6d; children, 1s. R. E. CALLOW, Conductor.

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TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) EVENING, SEPTEMBER 4.

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Miss L. HERBERT	Mr. H. HAZELL,

M. J. DE WILLIMOFF, the celebrated Violinist, and a Grand Orchestra of Twenty Instrumentalists.

PROGRAMME:

1. Overture—"Italiana in Algeria" ... Rossini. ORCHESTRA.
2. Trio—"Hark, 'tis the Indian Drum" ... Sir Henry Bishop. Miss J. PHILLIPS, Messrs. SPENCER and RAINFORD.
3. Song—"A Dream within a Dream" ... Pontet. Miss K. CAREY.
4. Song—"I Seek for Thee in every Flower" Gans. Mr. CHARLES PALMER.
5. Song—"Sing, Sweet Bird" ... Gans. Miss EMMA WANGENHEIM.
6. Violin Solo—"The Carnival of Venice" ... Paganini. M. DE WILLIMOFF.
7. Aria—"Non e Ver" ... Mattei. Miss CARLISLE.
8. Ballad—"Tell Her I Love Her So" ... De Faye. Mr. FRED. C. SPENCER.
9. { Aria—"Another Night is Passing" } (Il Trovatore) { Cavatina—"'Twas Night and all was Still" } Verdi. Miss GLENDINNING.
10. Recitation—"The Newsboy's Debt" ... Geo. Sims. Mr. HAROLD HAZELL.
11. Grand Instrumental Selection—"La Sonnambula" ... Bellini. ORCHESTRA. (With Solos for Oboe, Flute, and Cornet.)
12. Cavatina—"As I View these Scenes so Charming" ... Bellini. Mr. T. H. RAINFORD.
13. Song—"For Ever and For Ever" ... Tosti. Miss CARLISLE.
14. Song—"Waiting" ... Millard. Miss EMMA WANGENHEIM.
15. Duet—"Tell Me, Gentle Stranger" ... Parry. Miss J. PHILLIPS and Mr. RAINFORD.
16. Ballad—"Poor Wandering One" (Pirates) Sullivan. Miss GLENDINNING.

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17. Song—"The Limetrees by the River" ... Macfarren. Miss K. CAREY.
18. Song—"Their Parting Words" ... Palmer. Mr. CHARLES PALMER.
19. Song—"A Little Mountain Lad" ... Roeckel. Miss J. PHILLIPS.
20. Grand March—"Hoch Habsberg" ... Kral. ORCHESTRA.

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2 p.m.—Maiden Mile Bicycle Race. Three heats.
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2.30 p.m.—Millbrook Cup, 2 Miles Scratch Bicycle Race, in which all the great riders will compete.
2.45 p.m.—Mile Open Handicap Bicycle Race. Three heats.
3.15 p.m.—Mile All Schools Handicap Bicycle Race.
3.20 p.m.—Mile Scratch Bicycle Race for the Sydney Club Trophy. To be won right out. A great race is expected for this event.
3.37 p.m.—Half-mile Cycle Race for children. Competitors please appear on course immediately after event No. 15 on programme.
4 p.m.—The 10 Miles Amateur Championship of New South Wales. For this event the largest number will compete that has ever started for a championship in New South Wales.
4.45 p.m.—440 Yards Handicap Foot Race.
5 p.m.—Three Miles Handicap Bicycle Race.
5.20.—Mile Novelty Obstacle Bicycle Race.

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Competitors are hereby notified that they must be on their marks punctually to time stated in programme, as the entries are so numerous (255), and the Committee is determined to keep to time.

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ENTRIES for the NINTH CARRINGTON GRAND HANDICAP of £160 to be run on the Nights of the Spring Meeting, viz., 17th, 20th, 22nd, 24th September, CLOSE TO-NIGHT, with Mr. Jack Thompson, King-street, and Secretary, at Ground, and Athletic Club Hotel.

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150 and 140 Yards Handicap Flat Races, for members. Entrance, 1s each. Prize trophies.

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LOYAL RYDE UNITED FRIENDS LODGE, No. 35, I. O. O. F., M. U., will Celebrate their 23rd Anniversary by a PUBLIC PICNIC, at CHOWDER, on WEDNESDAY, September 7.

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Band in attendance.

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1st. That he be approved by the Committee of the said Club, and his name and address be registered at the Office of the Hawkesbury Race Club.

2nd. That he pay the Committee of the said Club, in advance, an annual fee of £5 for carrying on his business within the Saddling Paddock, or the annual fee of £2 for carrying on his business within the Derby Reserve of the Hawkesbury Racecourse.

3rd. That, during the time he shall be in or upon the said land as specified aforesaid, he shall wear a badge or card, to be supplied by the Committee of the said Club, on the lappel of his coat, or partly under the band of his hat, which badge or card shall be visible to the public, and shall have engraved, printed, or written thereon his name and address. Any person offending against this bylaw shall be removed from the Saddling Paddock or Derby Reserve and Hawkesbury Racecourse.

All applications, with cheques enclosed, to be in the hands of the Secretary, Richmond, not later than noon of MONDAY, the 5th day of September, 1887.

By order.

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COTTIERS play at Burwood at the School of Arts, next Monday, Sept. 5. Doors open 7.15. Start 8. Admis.: 2s, 1s.

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MAJOR H. C. DANE'S LAST TWO LECTURES in Sydney, before leaving for Brisbane.

WEDNESDAY, September 7, at 8 p.m, "A Summer in Greece."

THURSDAY, September 8, at 8 p.m, (in response to numerous requests) "Up the Rhine and Over the Alps with a Knapsack."

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, at VICTORIA THEATRE, PARRAMATTA.

Reserved seats at Nicholson's, price 3s; admission, 2s and 1s.

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MR. ROBERT KENNEDY (the SCOTTISH VOCALIST), will give his New Entertainment, "A NICHT WI' THE JACOBITES," and "A NICHT WI' BURNS," for the first time in Sydney, PROTESTANT HALL, MONDAY and TUESDAY, 12th and 13th September THURSDAY and FRIDAY, 15th and 16th September.

THE FRIENDS of the late W. E. SHERIDAN are informed that the UNVEILING of the MONUMENT to his memory will take place at Waverley Cemetery, SUNDAY, 4th instant, 3.30 p.m.

GRAND INTERCOLONIAL CAVALRY TOURNAMENT at AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S GROUNDS, MOORE PARK, on SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER.

Under the Patronage and in the Presence of his EXCELLENCY LORD CARRINGTON, G.C.M.G., P.C., Commander-in-Chief.

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Further particulars on application to Secretary, Cavalry Office, Phillip-street.

THE CENTENNIAL BAND.

PUBLIC PERFORMANCE in the Domain, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 3 p.m. (weather permitting).

NEW SOUTH WALES GUN CLUB.

GRAND PIGEON MATCH, open to all comers. New South Wales Gun Club Rules. Handicap, 30 to 21 yards.

To come off on the CLUB GROUND, BOTANY, WEDNESDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, 1887, the day after the Metropolitan.

Handicapper, Mr. H. M. Faithfull. £5 Sweep, 9 birds, N.S.W. Gun Club Rules. 1st prize, £150 and trophy value £25; 2nd prize, £50; 3rd prize, £30; 4th prize, £10. £2 on nomination, the balance (£3) before 11 a.m. on morning of match.

ENTRIES will close on WEDNESDAY, 14th September, 1887.

Handicap to appear in papers of 17th September, 1887.

Shooting at 11 a.m. sharp.

Entries will be received by Mr. C. Cowles, George-street; Mr. G. B. Modini, Brickfield-hill, Sydney; Mr. H. M. Faithfull, 58, Pitt-street; and the secretary, Mr. R. Catlett, Fitz-Evan-chambers, 50, Castlereagh-street. The entry money must in all cases accompany application for nomination.

The committee reserve to themselves the right to refuse any nomination.

N.B.—The above conditions will be strictly adhered to.

SCHNAPPER Fishing.—This Afternoon, Genista, Adolphus-st., 1.15; Darling st., 1.20; No. 3, Jetty, 1.30. 4s.

SCHNAPPER Fishing; to Terrigal.—S.S. Genista, To-Morrow Mg., No. 3 Jetty, 6.30, Wool., 7.; 7s 6d. Bait.

FISHING Excursion.—The favourite s.s. Inflexible will leave Woolloomooloo Bay on Tuesday, at 9 a.m., returning on Wednesday Morning early. Splendid accommodation. Bait provided. Fare, 10s. WM. STUBBS, Manager.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL ANNUAL BALL.

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His Honor Judge FAUCETT and Miss FAUCETT
Sir GEORGE INNES and Lady INNES
MAYOR and MAYORESS of SYDNEY
Major-General RICHARDSON and Mrs. RICHARDSON, &c., &c.

EVENING DRESS.

The ANNUAL BALL in aid of the above charity will take place in the EXHIBITION BUILDING, Prince Alfred Park, WEDNESDAY, September 14, 1887.

TICKETS—Gentleman's, 21s; Lady's, 10s 6d, can be purchased from any of the undermentioned:—GEORGE-STREET: Barlow and Co., L. F. Flanagan, P. R. Larkin, E. M'Evoy, Nicholson and Co., Frank Smith, Elvy and Co., W. H. Paling, R. Butcher and Co., M'Grath's Hotel, A. Huenerbein, Long and Roarty, J. J. Moore and Co., Peapes and Shaw, Thompson and Giles. KING-STREET: F. Cantor, Oxford Hotel, J. Mannix, E. J. Hollingdale, F. Riley. OXFORD-STREET: B. M'Bride, Mulroney, Mooney. HUNTER-STREET: Ellercamp, L. Moss and Co., W. H. M'Carthy, M. Lacey, Bourke-street; Harrison, Castlereagh-street; Gaffney, Market-street. WILLIAM-STREET: W. Hughes, J. M'Donald, Timothy Hart, Farrell. Hentzey and Co., Castlereagh-street; Hyde Park Hotel, Elizabeth and Bathurst streets; Petty's Hotel; Aarons' Exchange Hotel; O'Hara and Johnson, Jamieson-street; Sheerin and Hennessy, Pitt-street; Freeman's Journal Office.

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GRAND MASONIC BALL.

LODGE SYDNEY TARBOLTON, 377, S.C., will hold their Fourth Annual Grand Masonic BALL on THURSDAY, 22nd September, 1887, at Professor West's Academy, 251, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, under the distinguished patronage of the R.W. the D.G. Masters E. and S. Constitutions.

Tickets—Double 21s; gent.'s, single, 12s 6d; lady's, single, 10s 6d, may be obtained from Messrs. J. M. Ellercamp, Hunter-street; E. H. Knight, 99, King-street; P. Belfield, 105, Liverpool-street; G. Thomas, Pitt and Market streets; H. F. Davis, Oriental Hotel, Circular Quay; and

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Afternoon and Evening Classes Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, at 4.30 and 8 p.m.

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DANCING.—Beginners, Mondays and Thursdays, 4 and 8 p.m., New Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street, near Liverpool-street. Private lessons by arrangement, by applying N. Sargent, 145, Elizabeth-street. Social, Wednesday, Sept. 21.

DANCING.—Mr. E. EVANS, Teacher. Private classes; lessons given in all dances. Juvenile class, Saturday afternoons, now forming. Speciality—Hornpipes, &c. 55, Myrtle-street, near Newtown-road.

DANCING.—The Monday Evening Assembly held as usual, Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street.

DANCING.—Mr. A. Read's Class This Afternoon, St. George's Hall, 274, Pitt-street.

DANCING.—Mr. A. Read gives Private Lessons. Alfred Cottage, 229, Riley-street.

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GIPSY FORTUNE-TELLER and Free Exhibition, 300, Oxford-st., Paddington, between Begg and Regent sts.

SIGNOR STEFFANI will Instruct at 337, Pitt-street, corner Bathurst-street, from 1st October.

JENOLAN CAVES.—£4 10s for 5 days' trip, including hotel expenses. Tickets only at Tourist Bureau, 6, Bridge-st.

KANGAROO and Wallaby Drive, at Oberon.—Party now being made up at Tourist Bureau, 6, Bridge-street, to start from TAYLOR'S ROYAL HOTEL, on 6th and 7th September. Tickets, covering rail, coach, and hotel expenses, at above address. The trip may be concluded by a visit to the Jenolan Caves.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Alterations Completed.—To LET, for a short season. F. E. Hiscocks, on premises.

THE NEW MASONIC HALL having been thoroughly painted and re-decorated, is now open for ENGAGEMENTS for Concerts, Balls, and Theatrical entertainments. This Hall is the largest, best ventilated, and coolest hall in Sydney. For terms, apply to Hon. Secretary.

BEST SPEC. IN THE MARKET.—St. Leonards, Perth.—River Frontages opposite the city. Impartial reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and Pike and Owen. Water Frontages, £30, acre blocks; adjoining blocks, £12 10s acre. £1 deposit; £1 per month. Call for plans and reports. GARRARD and GARRARD, 123a, Elizabeth-st., near King-st.

Religious Announcements

AN ADDRESS will be delivered in Old Foresters' Hall, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW, 7 p.m.

ANNANDALE HUNTER-BAILLIE MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. P. Falconer Mackenzie, 11 and 7.

ANNIVERSARY, SUMMER HILL, ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, TO-MORROW. Preachers: 11, The Most Rev. the PRIMATE; 3, Children's Service, Rev. JOHN VAUGHAN; 7, Ven. Archdeacon GUNTHER. Special Collections in aid of the Church Building Fund.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Bathurst-street.—To-morrow, Rev. Charles Bright. Morning 11; evening, 7.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Oddfellows' Hall, Woollahra, TO-MORROW, Rev. D. Davis, pastor. Morn., 11; Even., 7.

BETHEL.—Rev. W. Bradley, 11 and 7; MONDAY, Dr. Spofforth's Lecture; Bazaar, 19th September.

BOURKE-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Morning, Rev. T. Johnson; evening, Rev. J. Blanksby.

BOURKE-STREET Wesleyan Church.—11, Rev. W. H. Hall, B.A.; 7, Rev. R. Dyson.

BURWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. A. Osborne, M.A., To-morrow, 11 (communion) and 7.

BURTON-STREET TABERNACLE.—Services TO-MORROW. Pastor A. J. Clarke, morning and evening. Exhibition and Sale of Gifts continued This Day, Monday, and Tuesday. Admission 6d.

BOTANY-STREET WESLEYAN SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

The FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY will be celebrated on SUNDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, when SPECIAL SERVICES will be held, conducted in the morning by the Rev. W. S. FRACKELTON, M.Sc., M.A.; and in the evening by the Rev. J. H. FLETCHER.

A FLOWER SERVICE will be held in the AFTERNOON, when the Rev. J. WOODHOUSE will address the meeting.

On the TUESDAY following, a GRAND CONCERT will be held in the Church, in combination with the Annual Meeting, when addresses will be delivered by the superintendents of the school.

The musical part of the Sunday Services, as well as the conductorship of the concert, will be in the hands of Mr. W. Caley, and it is expected that the music will be of a superior order.

Collections will be made on each occasion in aid of the School Funds.

W. L. NEWMAN, I. TOOLE, } Hon. Secs.

CENTRAL METHODIST Mission, Kent-street.—11, Student; 7, Rev. J. BOWRING. Sacrament.

CLEVELAND-STREET Wesleyan Church.—11, Rev. J. Woodhouse; 7, Rev. W. H. Hall, B.A.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Anniversary Services. Rev. David Smith, M.A., 11; Rev. Andrew Gardiner, M.A., 7. Retiring Collections for Building Fund.

CROYDON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—TO-MORROW, Rev. W. MATHISON, B.A., 11 and 7. Morning discourse, "Epistle to the Church at Sardis." Evening discourse, "Martin Luther and the Reformation."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, NEWTOWN.

TO-MORROW, at 11, Rev. J. CHALMERS, of New Guinea. Evening, at 7, LECTURES to YOUNG MEN by the Rev. WARLOW DAVIES, M.A. "LESSONS from the LIFE OF JOSEPH." No. 5, "A HARDY SCHOOL, AND WHAT HE LEARNT THERE."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, PETERSHAM.

Services in Town Hall, pending alterations to Church Building.

TO-MORROW, at 11 and 7, by Rev. JOSEPH ROBERTSON, M.A.

Evening Subject: "HEDGES."

FREE CHURCH of ENGLAND, Kogarah.—Mr. Wood, 11; Mr. Caton, 7 (Sacr.); Anniv'ry Services, Sept. 11.

FREE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, KOGARAH.—SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION to PARRAMATTA PARK, 7th September. Special Train leaves Kogarah at 8.30, calling at Rockdale, Arncliffe, Tempe, Marrickville, and Eveleigh. Return ticket, 1s 6d. Anniversary Services, 11th September; Mr. Caton at 11, Mr. Bowers at 3, Mr. Dibley at 7.

GLEBE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, St. John's-road.—Rev. T. E. Owens-mell, at 11 and 7 To-morrow.

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. A. Gardiner, M.A., at 11; Rev. D. Smith, M.A., at 7.

HARRIS-ST. Baptist Church.—Pastor Taylor will preach on Sunday Morning at 11, and in the Evening at 7.

HOMEBUSH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

The Rev. GEO. RAYNER will deliver the Third of a Series of Sunday Evening Lectures.

Subject: "PROGRESS IN BELIEF."

TO-MORROW EVENING, 7 o'clock.

Postponed from last Sunday evening, in consequence of inclemency of the weather.

LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Rev. A. PEARSE, from Raiatea, will PREACH:—Morning, at Point Piper-road Congregational Church, Woollahra. Afternoon, Service at 3 o'clock in Pitt-street Congregational Church.

Teachers en route for New Guinea and Rev. A. Pearse will address the Sunday Schools.

Evening—Rev. A. Pearse will preach at Sussex-street Church at 7 o'clock.

Newtown.—Morning, at 11, Rev. J. Chalmers.

Pitt-street Congregational Church.—Evening, at 7 o'clock, Rev. J. Chalmers.

MISSION CHURCH, Sussex and Liverpool streets.—George Lewis in the Morning, and the Rev. Mr. Pearse, Missionary, of Raitea, together with the Native Missionaries from the South Sea Islands, in the Evening.

NEWTOWN WESLEYAN CHURCH.—To-morrow, Rev. Charles Stead, at 11; Rev. John Sowes, at 7.

NORTH SHORE.—ST. PETER'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. R. M'Kinnon, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

NEW CHURCH, Sydney Society.—Divine Service in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street (upper room). Morning, 11, Mr. W. J. Spencer; evening, 7, Mr. J. Ball.

NOTICE.

The ensuing JEWISH HOLIDAYS commence as follows:—
NEW YEAR, Sunday evening, September 18.
ATONEMENT, Tuesday evening, September 27.

S. FRANKEL, Secretary Great Synagogue.

OCEAN-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Woollahra.—Rev. E. FOX THOMAS, 11 and 7.

PALMER-STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. J. F. Henderson will preach To-morrow, 11, 7.

PRINCE'S-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.—11, Rev. J. BOWRING; 7, Student.

PYRMONT Congregational Church.—Rev. J. Buchan, evg.: 4th Beatitude—"Hungering, Thirsting after Rig'ness."

PYRMONT and ULTIMO Presbyterian Church, Quarry-st.—Rev. R. S. Paterson, evg., Ordination of elders.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. The Rev. Mr. GRIFFITHS, from Isle of Wight, England, will Preach in the Morning, and the Rev. JAMES CHALMERS, of New Guinea, in the Evening.

RANDWICK Wesleyan Church.—11, Rev. R. Dyson; 7, Rev. J. Woodhouse.

REDFERN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—The Rev. J. G. Fraser, M.A., will preach To-mor., Morning, Evg.

ST. JOHN'S, Paddington.—The Rev. Dr. GILCHRIST will preach TO-MORROW, 11 and 7.

ST. MARK'S, Darling Point.—Holy communion, 8 a.m.; matins, 11; evensong, 7. Preacher, Canon Kemmis.

ST. PHILIP'S, Church-hill.—Morning, 11, and afternoon 3, Rev. W. E. H. Percival; Evening, 7, Rev. J. H. Price.

ST. SAVIOUR'S, Redfern.—Morning 11, evening 7. Preacher, Rev. S. S. Tovey, B.A. Offertories for Church Soc.

ST. SIMON and St. JUDE'S, Campbell-st., Surry H.—Truthful and hearty service, 11, 3, 7. Rev. J. G. Southby.

ST. STEPHEN'S, Phillip-street.—The Rev. Dr. Steel will Preach To-morrow at 11 (Communion) and 7.

SUMMER HILL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Rev. W. J. L. CLOSS, To-morrow, at 11 and 7.

SERVICE will be held (during New Year and Atonement) as usual, at Mr. SOLOMON'S Residence, No. 8, Brown-street, Newtown. No charge.

SCOTS CHURCH.—Rev. W. M. DILL MACKY, morning, 11; evening, 7. Subjects: "No Rest on Earth"—Micah ii., 10. "The Serpent of Brass"—John iii., 14, 15.

ST. ANDREW'S, SUMMER HILL.—The Most Rev. the PRIMATE will preach in the morning; Children's Service, at 3; Evening Service, at 7. Preacher, Archdeacon GUNTHER.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. ALEX. MILLER, M.A., at 11 a.m. (communion) and 7 p.m. In the evening will be preached the 1st Communion Sermon, "The Test of Love."

SPIRITUALISTIC ASSOCIATION OF N. S. W.—Service at West's Academy TO-MORROW (Sunday), at 11 a.m. All respectable persons—whether spiritualists or inquirers only—may affiliate on payment of subscription at rate of 1s per annum. Free.

J. WALTER SMALL, Hon. Sec., Terry-st., Balmain.

SUMMER HILL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. THIRD SOCIAL RE-UNION. WEDNESDAY NEXT, 7th September, at 8 p.m. Organ Recital and Sacred Concert. Selections will be rendered by Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Hutchison, the Misses Cromack, Messrs. Fer, Howe, and others. Ticket for series, 1s.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.

13th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

HOLY COMMUNION, 8 a.m., and after MORNING SERVICE.

PREACHERS:
11 a.m., Rev. E. C. BECK.
3.15, ARCHDEACON GUNTHER.
7 p.m., The PRIMATE.

Holy Baptism: Sunday, 4.30 p.m. Wednesday, 7 p.m. punctually.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, Liverpool-street, Hyde Park.—Minister, Rev. E. R. GRANT. Subjects for To-morrow—At 11 a.m., "A Trip to the Mountains and Caves." At 7 p.m., "The Everlasting Consuming Fire."

WAVERLEY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Arthur T. Collier. Morning at 11, Evening at 7.

WAVERLEY Presbyterian Church, Charing Cross. Evangelist, R. Hurditch, Sab., 11, 7. Children's Service, 3.

WESLEY CHURCH, Regent-st.—Morning, 11, Rev. R. Sellors, D.D.; Evg, 7, Rev. J. W. Winspear.

WESLEYAN.—Stanmore, Rev. J. H. Lewin, 11; Rev. G. Martin, 7. Leichhardt, Rev. G. Martin, 11; Rev. [illegible], 7. Marrickville, Mr. M. S. Fletcher, 11; Rev. J. E. Lewin, 7.

WILLIAM-STREET WESLEYAN SUNDAY SCHOOL.—The ANNIVERSARY SERVICES in connection with the above school will be held in the William-street Church, on SUNDAY, September 4, 1887. Rev. R. CALDWELL will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. F. COLWELL will deliver the Anniversary Address in the afternoon at 3 o'clock; Rev. R. SELLORS, D.D., will preach in the evening at 7 o'clock. On TUESDAY EVENING, 6th September, a PUBLIC MEETING will be held. Chair to be taken at 7.30 by Rev. J. W. WINSPEAR. Addresses will be delivered by Revs. R. CALDWELL, F. COLWELL, R. SELLORS, D.D., Ald. S. E. LEES, M.P., and other [illegible]. J. E. JOUGHIN, Hon. Secretary.

WESLEYAN CONFERENCE (monthly), Temperance Hall, Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. Rev. John Maxwell, conf.

SMALL Church-built HALL, 3 entrances, stage, piano, suitable for services, &c. 177A, Liverpool-st., next church.

ALEXANDRIA WESLEYAN SUNDAY SCHOOL. A Grand Descriptive LECTURE of England, Scotland, and Ireland, illustrated by Limelight Apparatus, will be given in aid of the above School Fund on Tuesday, 6th inst., in the Town Hall, Garden-st., Alexandria, by Percy Hordern, Esq. Admission, 1s; children, half price. H. A. Stanley, Sec.

CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The First of a Series of Six LECTURES will (God willing) be delivered by Dr. WILSON, Lecturer at the University of Sydney, in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on MONDAY, September 5. The chair will be taken at 8 p.m. by Sir J. G. L. INNES.

GOSPEL TEMPERANCE, To-Night, Methodist Mission, Kent-street. Address Mr. J. B. Teedale.

METHODIST Monthly Holiness Meeting, Y. M. C. A. upper Hall, Pitt-street, TO-DAY, 3 p.m. J. Woodhouse, sec.

NEW GUINEA MISSION.

PUBLIC MEETING in Pitt-street Congregational Church on MONDAY EVENING, September 5, at 7.30, in connection with the departure of Rev. J. Chalmers, Rev. A. Pearse, and four teachers, with their wives, for mission work on New Guinea. Rev. J. Chalmers will give an account of his explorations and experiences in New Guinea. Collection in aid of Mission.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW Church of England, Pyrmont.—The Annual Tea Meeting and Concert will be held in the Mission Hall, Harris-street, Ultimo, Wednesday next. Tea on tables at half-past 6; concert, 8; tickets, 1s 6d; concert, only 1s; children, 1s.

SCOTS CHURCH, CHURCH-HILL.—A MEETING of the Congregation of the above church, held on the 19th instant, having resolved to renew the roof and ceiling, and otherwise improve the building, the friends of the Historic Church, and of the late Rev. Dr. John Dunmore Lang, are respectfully but earnestly invited to aid in carrying out the work. Subscriptions or donations will be received by Mrs. Lang, the Rev. Mr. Macky (minister of the church), by any member of the committee, or by the undersigned.

WILL NEILL, The City Bank.

Sydney, June 14, 1887.

WOMEN'S CHRIS. TEM. UNION.—Meeting, Wednesday next, 7th inst., Temperance Hall, 3 o'clock; important business. All members will kindly attend.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

Young Men's MEETING THIS EVENING, at 7.30; TO-MORROW, Sunday, Bible Class, at 3; and Meeting for Young Men in large hall at 7.15.

DAVID WALKER, Gen. Sec.

EPISCOPACY.

Sir,—The subject of the Episcopacy and its claims has been very prominently brought before your readers by the publication of the sermon preached at St. Mary's Consecration Service. It may be interesting to the great majority of your readers to know that much new light has lately been thrown upon this subject by a recent very able series of Bampton Lectures*, delivered before the University of Oxford, the conclusions of which have met with the approval of the ablest disinterested scholars of the day. The plan of inquiry is purely historical, and is marked with singular critical acumen. It is shown that many statements which are generally received as unquestionable with regard to the establishment of a particular form of Church discipline by Our Lord are really "unproved assumptions;" such, for instance, as the doctrine of a "perpetual ministry."

It is shown in these lectures that in the early centuries of the Christian Era there was a general tendency towards the formation of associations of a secular character, such as trade guilds, athletic clubs, and friendly societies. There was a religious element in many of these guilds in the fact of their being presided over by some Pagan patron saint. It was natural that Christians should form similar associations, and especially so as the religious opinions of their body were so strongly held, and they were subject to frequent persecution. The essence, however, of the Christian associations was the dispensing of alms to the poor, of whom there were such immense numbers in those days. In such eleemosynary societies it was natural that great importance should attach to the finance officers or officer. Such officers in non-Christian organisations were known by two names, ἐπιμελητής (epimeletes) and ἐπίσκοπος (episkopos)—the latter being the same word as our modern "bishop." The members of councils of municipalities—such as our aldermen—were also called "episcopoi" when entrusted with the management of the funds of the municipality. Gradually the chairman of the finance committee of Christian associations became the responsible paymaster, who gave the alms publicly on behalf of the general body of Christians. His office eventually became permanent. He was chief almoner, and he was bound by his official position to be hospitable to travellers, &c. St. Jerome said, "The glory of a bishop is to relieve the poverty of the poor." In addition to the bishops, there were at length deacons whose work was similar—and who in some measure resembled "the seven" of Acts VI., who, however, are not called deacons in the New Testament. The closeness of this relation of deacons to bishops survives in the title Archdeacon. Those who formed the directing body of Christian societies were generally the elders of families or presbyters. Bishops were spoken of both as presbyters and bishops, indifferently. At first there was a theory that the presiding presbyter or bishop was in the place of our Lord Himself, while the other presbyters were the Apostles. This idea, however, gave way to another theory, namely, that the president was in the place of an Apostle—which latter theory has survived to the present time. The supremacy of the president or bishop was gradually enhanced by the notion of his being the centre of unity of doctrine, and the mouthpiece of the general body. This position of the bishop was not attained until the second century. A superstitious halo surrounded the more powerful bishops, and this accretion of the ages of darkness has invested the episcopacy with a supposed dignity, for which there is no sufficient foundation in history. His power has become inordinately large, and will gradually wane before the light of truth. The idea of the Christian Church being founded on the polity of the Jewish Church was not accepted until a century and a half after the time of Origen—the imaginary analogy, viz., that of High Priest being Bishop, Priests being Presbyters, and Levites the deacons, although quite unfounded, becoming at length generally adopted. "But, in earlier times, there was a grander faith. For the Kingdom of God was a kingdom of priests. All Christians were 'Kings and Priests unto God.' Only in that high sense was priesthood predicable of Christian men. For the Shadow had passed; the Reality had come, the one High Priest of Christianity was Christ!"

I am, &c., "THE TRUTH."

* Bampton Lectures, by Edwin Hatch, M.A., 1880.

Lectures.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

The following FREE LECTURES will be delivered next week in the Technical Hall, Pitt-street, commencing at 8 p.m.:—

WEDNESDAY.—"Our Supplies of Bone and Teeth-forming Material, No. IV.: As Stock and Poultry Feed is Affected," by Mr. Angus Mackay, Instructor in Agriculture.

THURSDAY.—"Fur-bearing Animals: The Hunting-fields, Dressing, Dyeing, and Preparing Skins for Furs—Uses. No. II," by Mr. F. A. A. Skuse.

FRIDAY.—"How to Buy, Make, and Mend Clothing," by Mrs. A. Fawcett Story, Instructress in Domestic Economy.

HUGH POLLOCK, B.A., Acting Secretary.

SPIRITUALISTS' ASSOCIATION N. S. W.—Mr. BURDEKIN will deliver an Address at West's Academy on SUNDAY EVENING, detailing his experience. Several professional Vocalists and Reciters have volunteered their services, and will assist in rendering the evening an enjoyable one. J. WALTER SMALL, hon. sec., Ferry-street, Balmain.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

A LECTURE, Illustrated by numerous beautifully-coloured Lantern Views, will be delivered by Mr. DAVID RITCHIE, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock.

"What the Pyramids Reveal of Ancient Egypt."

Admission, as usual, 3d.

HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

LECTURES ON LITERATURE.

THE FIRST of a SERIES OF LECTURES on LITERATURE will be delivered by REV. CANON KEMMIS on TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER.

The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock.

Admission: Students of the Technical College and members of the S. M. School of Arts, free (by ticket); General Public, 1s (by ticket, obtained at library).

HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

2nd September, 1887.

HARRIS-ST. BAPTIST CHURCH.—Lecture—Nose Index to Character. Herr Oppermann, Mon., Sept. 5, 8 p.m.

Calls on Shares.

LANKELLY MINING COMPANY, Limited.

11TH CALL ON SHARES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have this day made a CALL of threepence per share on each of the Contributing Shares in this Company; payment thereof to be made to the undersigned, at the Company's Office, Moore-street, Sydney, on 3rd proximo.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.

Moore-street, Sydney, 22nd August, 1887.

WEBB'S SILVER-MINING COMPANY (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have this day made a CALL (the 14th) of Sixpence per share, payable to the Manager, at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before FRIDAY, September 9th next.

By order of the Board.

JAMES WATT, Manager.

Sydney, August 30th, 1887.

CENTRAL BROKEN HILL SILVER-MINING COMPANY (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have this day made a CALL (the 7th) of one shilling per share, payable to me, at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before TUESDAY, September 20th.

By order of the Board.

LEONARD DODDS, Manager.

Sydney, August 30th, 1887.

GOLD HILL G. M. CO., Limited, BURNT YARDS, near ORANGE.

A CALL (fifth of first issue and fourth of second issue) of 1s per share has this day been made upon the capital of the above Company, due and payable at the registered office of the Company, Summer-street, Orange, on or before the first day of October, 1887.

W. TANNER, Jun., Legal Manager.

September 1, 1887.

CONFIDENCE GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability. King's Plains, Lucknow.

The Directors of the above company have this day made a CALL of Six Pounds sterling per share upon the capital of the company, payable at the office of the company, Lucknow, on or before the 16th September, 1887.

H. N. NEWMAN, Manager.

September 1, 1887.

GAS STOVES.—Raleigh's "Carrington" and "Paragon." £1 dep., £1 monthly. Cooking Tuesday, 253, Eliz.-st.

Meetings.

PROTECTIONIST MONSTER DEMONSTRATION.

The members of the Council of the Protection Union have been appointed a Committee to arrange proceedings.

First MEETING on TUESDAY EVENING, 6th instant, at 8 o'clock, at the Room, 121, Bathurst-street.

JOHN S. SKEET, Secretary Protection Union.

THE PROTECTION and POLITICAL REFORM LEAGUE meets Temperance Hall MONDAY, 8 p.m. The Free-trade tree of our inhuman Government is yielding its horrid fruit. The Herald special reporter of the 1st instant says,—"That the growing of the tobacco leaf about Maitland is decreasing, that the large trade in colonial leaf has greatly fallen off, and that instead of 50 hands 30 only are now employed at the tobacco factory visited by him." Thus the inhuman work of driving our cultivators off the land and sending into starvation our tobacco workers is being carried on with all the malignity of fiendish free-trade-gone-mad inhumanity by this Government of ours.

R. C. LUSCOMBE, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.

The Regular General MEETING of the above Club will be held at the Office, 163, King-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, at 4 p.m.

Mr. Griffiths has given notice that he will move that the first sentence in Rule 19 of the Club be amended so as to read:—

"All meetings shall be presided over by the chairman, who, in addition to his own vote, shall, in case of equality of votes, have a second or casting vote."

A GENERAL MEETING of the Southern Rugby Football Union will be held TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock, at Campagnoni's Rooms, to welcome the team from Brisbane, and for presentation of the cups and medals won in connection with the various competitions.

A. HALE, Hon. Sec. S. R. F. U.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Albert Cricket Club will be held at Levy and Scott's Rooms, Oxford-street, on MONDAY next, at 8 p.m.

J. SHEPHERD, Hon. Sec.

WARWICK C.C.—Annual MEETING will take place at 8 o'clock, on TUESDAY next, at Levy and Scott's 187, Oxford-street. Business very important.

A. OGILVY, Hon. Sec.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

In pursuance of a requisition, a MEETING of the Benefactors and Subscribers to the above Institution will be held in the Board-room of the Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company's Office, Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, September 12, at 3 p.m., to consider the following resolutions, proposed and signed by seventeen benefactors and subscribers:—

1st—"That the resolution of the Board, 'that Miss Holden be dismissed,' was informal and illegal, inasmuch as this was business of a SPECIAL nature, and no notice of such business had been given to the members of the Board, under Rule 30."

2nd—"That the benefactors and subscribers to the institution, from their knowledge of the Lady Superintendent, and of her useful work at the hospital, are of opinion that the Board were not justified in summarily dismissing her from her position."

3rd—"That Rule 17 be amended, by the omission of the words 'together with the honorary medical officers.'"

H. C. KENT, Hon. Sec. H. S. C.

SYDNEY RAGGED SCHOOLS.

The Twenty-sixth Annual MEETING of the SYDNEY RAGGED SCHOOLS will be held in the Temperance Hall on MONDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER.

The chair will be taken by James R. Fairfax, Esq., at half-past 7 o'clock.

A number of children from the several schools will be present and examined.

J. S. HARRISON, Hon. Secretary, Bond-street.

LANKELLY MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Office, Moore-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 26th September, 1887, at 11 o'clock a.m., to receive the Director's Report and Balance Sheet to the 14th September, 1887, and to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.

Moore-street, Sydney, 24th August, 1887.

GREAT COBAR COPPER-MINING COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Adjourned Special General MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 13th September proximo, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of adopting or otherwise the following resolutions, then to be submitted:—

That the capital of the Company be increased from £80,000 to £100,000, in accordance with clause 69 of the Articles of Association, by the creation and issue of 20,000 shares of £1 each, to be made and called Preferent Shares, in manner following, that is to say:

The 20,000 new shares of £1 each created by this resolution shall be called Preferent Shares, and the holders of the said shares shall be entitled, in the event of the dissolution or the winding-up of the Company, to payment of the amount of the said shares, or such amount as may have been paid on account of them at that time, out of the assets of the Company, in preference to the holders of shares created prior to the passing of this resolution.

During the continuance of the Company a dividend after the rate of twelve pounds ten shillings per centum per annum shall be paid on such Preferent Shares at every half-yearly general meeting of the shareholders of the Company, out of the net profits of the Company, if such profits shall be sufficient; and if such profits shall not be sufficient in any half-year to pay a dividend at such rate, then the same, or the amount deficient, shall be paid out of the future net profits of the Company, and until so paid shall be a charge thereon.

The said Preferent Shares shall be offered to the shareholders at par in terms of clause 69 of the Articles of Association.

The application of each shareholder for the said Preferent Shares shall be accompanied by a payment of One Shilling per share, the allotment by a payment of One Shilling per share, and the balance in calls not exceeding One Shilling per share per month.

By order of the Board.

JAMES WATT, Manager.

Sydney, August 30, 1887.

THE BROOKERS NOSE COLLIERY COMPANY, Limited.

An EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the abovenamed Company will be held at the Company's Office, 7, Hamilton-chambers, Hamilton-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th September next, at 12 noon. It is very important that every shareholder should be present if possible.

Business: To consider the present financial position of the company, and decide upon the best course to be adopted to meet certain anticipated liabilities. By order of the Board.

19th August, 1887. THOS. GILLESPIE, Secretary.

Business Announcements.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between HORATIO BARTLETT and GEORGE FLETCHER, as Butchers, at No. 341, Elizabeth-street, and Campbell-street, Sydney, has This Day been DISSOLVED by effluxion of time. The business will in future be carried on by the said HORATIO BARTLETT alone. All debts due by or to the firm of Bartlett and Fletcher will be received and paid by the said Horatio Bartlett and George Fletcher.

Dated this first day of September, A.D. 1887.

HORATIO BARTLETT.
GEORGE FLETCHER.

Witness—JOHN HORATIO CLAYTON, Solicitor, 136, Pitt-street, Sydney.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned LAURENT EDOUARD ADET, THOMAS FITZGERALD, and WILLIAM ARTHUR SEWARD, have entered into Partnership at Melbourne, as from the First day of July last, and will in future carry on the business, hitherto known as CURCIER and ADET, in both MELBOURNE and SYDNEY, under the style and title of CURCIER, ADET, and CO.

Dated in Melbourne this Thirty-first day of August, 1887.

LAURENT EDOUARD ADET
THOMAS FITZGERALD
WILLIAM ARTHUR SEWARD.

Witness—WILLIAM LYNCH, Solicitor, 59, William-street, Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, WILLIAM HENRY JOYCE and CHARLES DAVID BELL, in the business of Wholesale Fruiterers and Commission Agents, carried on by us at number two hundred and fifteen Clarence-street, in the city of Sydney, has THIS DAY been DISSOLVED by mutual consent as and from the present date, and the said business will be henceforth carried on by the said CHARLES DAVID BELL, who will pay and discharge all debts and liabilities, and receive all moneys payable to the late firm.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of August, 1887.

W. H. JOYCE.
CHAS. D. BELL.

Witness—WILLIAM H. MAHONY, Solicitor, 142, King-street, Sydney.

MR. C. L. HOHNEN begs to inform his friends and the public he, having taken over the old-established baking business of his father (Mr. C. J. Hohnen), begs for a continuance of the patronage accorded him.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

COWARD and BELL, Architects, have REMOVED to their New Offices, in Turkish Bath-chambers, 29, Bligh-street.

H. H. ROSS, Accountant, has REMOVED from Norwich-chambers to 29, Bligh-street, opp. Union Club.

DR. W. R. CORTIS, M.L.A., has commenced Practice at 281, Macquarie-street. Telephone 737.

THOS. A. STRICKLAND, 3, O'Connell-street.

SPECTACLE MAKERS.—Frost and Shipham, 474, Geo.-st. (op. entrance fruit mrkts.), and 587. Pebble specs. 5s.

SCOTTISH WIDOWS' FUND SOCIETY.

The Society's Branch Office for colonial investments has been REMOVED to No. 7, Bent-street, Sydney.

The Directors are prepared to receive application for Advances upon Freehold Securities.

Form of proposal and conditions under which advances are made will be forwarded on application to the undersigned.

JOSEPH MILLS, at No. 7, Bent-street.

10th August, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that from this date Mr. SYDNEY MOSS RETIRES from the firm of LEWIS MOSS, and CO., carrying on business at No. 3, Hunter-street. The BUSINESS will be CARRIED on under the name and style of LEWIS MOSS and CO., as hitherto, by the undersigned.

MORRIS MOSS.

August 29, 1887.

GAS STOVES.—Raleigh's "Carrington" and "Paragon." £1 dep., £1 monthly. Cooking Tuesday, 253, Eliz.-st.

THE SECOND EDITION OF THE ECHO contains from Two to Three Columns of additional News. The Second Edition is published at 4 p.m.

WATER Frontages, £30 acre, adjoining Blocks £12 10s acre, Perth. Splendid spec. Plans and reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and other reliable gentlemen. Don't fail call. GARRARD and HAMILTON, 122A, Elizabeth-st.

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A BACKWARD or Young Boy offered Special Tuition. Mr. Weiss, Modern H. School, 177A, Liverpool-street.

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A FASHIONABLE HANDWRITING or Bookkeeping, Grammar, Reading, &c., taught to ladies any hour, 10s 6d the course. NORRIS'S Writing Institute, 57, Elizabeth-street, near Hunter-street. Established in Sydney 25 years.

ART.—Mrs. F. J. HAWKE, Teacher of Art Painting and Needlework, 21, Royal Arcade. Private lessons. Ladies wishing to paint from nature can select their own subjects in flowers, &c. Terms on application.

BACKWARD PUPILS prepared Civil Service, matric., terms mod. J. Mortison, M.A., 128, Phillip-street.

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BOOKKEEPING, S. and D. E., practical, thoroughly taught. W. O. Jones, accountant, 210, Bourke-street West.

BOYLE'S Singing Classes.—New Quarter, 19th instant, Bruce and Massey's (next Hordern's), Pitt-st.; 10s 6d quart.

BRUCE'S SYSTEM speedily secures ease, rapidity, and beauty to Handwriting. Classroom, 61, Castlereagh-st.

CH. OF ENG. GRAM. SCHOOL, Church-hill.—Quarter dates from enrolment. Prospectus posted.

CANDIDATES prepared for Matric., Senior, Junior, and Civil Service Exams. Tuition in general subjects. Mr. J. A. DOBBIE, B.A., Tutor. Visiting master to 11 of the principal schools and ladies' colleges in Sydney. 104, Darlinghurst-road.

CHURCH of ENGLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL, Church Hill. President, the Most Reverend the Primate; Vice-president, the Rev. J. D. Langley; Headmaster, A. B. Dimelow, Melb. Univ.; Classical Master, J. F. M'Manamey, B.A. Quarter dates from enrolment. Prospectus posted.

CROYDON COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

Rev. W. S. NEWTON, M.A., Head Master, assisted by a competent staff of Resident and Visiting Masters.

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Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF MARRICKVILLE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Plans showing the proposed levels of MARSHALL-STREET and DENNING-STREET are now open for inspection.

All objections to such Levels must be lodged with me in writing within fourteen days from this date.

GEORGE E. GILL, Council Clerk.

Thursday, September 1.

DETAILED ACCOUNT of the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the BOROUGH of VICTORIA for HALF-YEAR ending 1st August, 1887.

Dr.
1887.—August 1.

REVENUE.

To rates general, 1s in the £			£784 5 0
Ditto lighting, 4d in the £			260 16 4
Subscriptions			141 1 4
Fines			0 17 6
Receipts for removal house rubbish			69 14 7
Receipts under Nuisances Prosecution Act			868 14 8
Rents			141 15 0
Wharf dues			79 15 4
Fixed deposit restored to account			1500 0 0
Interest on fixed deposit			90 0 0
Miscellaneous receipts			12 1 6
Balance due to English, Scottish, and A. C. Bank			153 19 9
			£3603 1 0

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EXPENDITURE.

1887.—February 1.			
By balance due to English, Scottish, and A. C. Bank			£315 1 8
August 1.			
Gas Company lighting streets			471 17 1
General Expenses:			
Fixed deposit		£500 0 0	
Interest		337 2 0	
Fire Brigade		20 10 11	
Salaries:			
Council clerk	£85 0 0		
Inspector nuisances	31 13 4		
Overseer	65 0 0		
		181 13 4	
Advertising		33 2 6	
Rent, &c., Council-chambers		43 12 2	
Petty cash		9 15 8	
Printing		5 9 10	
Surveyor's fee		5 5 0	
Stationery		15 15 4	
Miscellaneous		24 8 6	
			1,176 15 3
General Works:			
Asphalting footpaths		£209 3 8	
Tools and powder		17 11 4	
Cleaning gutters		77 17 9	
Removal house rubbish		28 13 0	
Ditto nightsoil		285 11 2	
Contractor for scavenging		53 12 6	
Miscellaneous		71 4 11	
			743 14 4
Improvements:			
Walker-street		£371 0 1	
Chuter-street		40 18 0	
Commodore-street		36 3 1	
Lavender-street		16 4 8	
Blue's Point-road		54 2 0	
Miller-street		14 4 11	
Upper Bayview-street		35 7 6	
Bayview-street		7 0 11	
Blue-street		8 12 11	
Bay-street		17 3 3	
Susannah-street		34 0 1	
Union-street		2 15 2	
George-street		0 7 6	
Bank-lane		1 2 8	
Bank-street		35 15 10	
Euroka-street		49 10 2	
Elizabeth-street		0 5 6	
Parker-street		4 16 0	
William-street		1 7 7	
Lord-street		40 9 1	
Mitchell-street		2 2 0	
Thomas-street		2 15 4	
Blue's Point Wharf		1 15 8	
West Crescent-street		14 17 0	
Blue metal		93 13 7	
East Crescent-street		7 19 10	
Mackenzie-street		1 2 6	
			895 12 8
			£3603 1 0

I certify the above account to be correct and to correspond with the books of account and vouchers or other documents in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of the Borough of Victoria.

DONALD MUNRO, Mayor.

We certify that all the books of account and vouchers or other documents in support thereof in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of the Borough of Victoria have been exhibited to us; that the foregoing account corresponds with such books of account and vouchers or other documents, and that the above account is correct.

JOHN W. GUISE, WALTER J. MONRO } Auditors.
WALTER G. WILLINGTON, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, September 1, 1887.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

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In the Goods, Chattels, and Effects of JAMES HARRIS, of Five Dock, Gentleman, deceased intestate.

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof, application will be made to the Supreme Court, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that Letters of Administration of the estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ROSANNA HARRIS, of Five Dock aforesaid, the widow of the said deceased.

Dated at Sydney this 1st day of September, 1887.

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R. SLEE, Cooking-stove Maker, 80, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo. Over 2000 in use.

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SPECTACLE MAKERS.—Frost and Shipham, 474, Geo.-st. (op. entrance fruit mrkts.), and 587. Pebble specs, 5s.

TURNERY and Bandsawing in all its branches, best workmen, lowest charges. Stewart, sawmill, Bathurst-st.

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SPRING FLOWERS, Orchids, Hyacinths, and Primroses. Lavish display daily. Searl and Sons, 107, King-st.

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WATER Frontages, £30 acre, adjoining Blocks £12 10s acre, Perth. Splendid spec. Plans and reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and other reliable gentlemen. Don't fail call. GARRARD and HAMILTON, 122A, Elizabeth-st.

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Stock, Shares and Money

BOROUGH OF THE GLEBE.

TENDERS FOR LOAN.

TENDERS will be received up to noon on MONDAY, the 12th of September instant, from persons willing to Lend to the Municipal Council of the Glebe the sum of Fifteen Thousand Pounds Stg. (£15,000) upon Debentures of £100 each, payable in twenty-five years from date of issue, secured on the general rates of the borough.

State rate of interest per annum, which will be paid half-yearly.

Tenders to be addressed to the Mayor, and endorsed "Tender for Loan."

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Council,
T. D. GLASSCOCK,
Council Clerk and Treasurer.
Town Hall, St. John's-road, Glebe,
September 3, 1887.

THE NATIONAL BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

250, PITT-STREET.

Authorised Capital ...	£300,000
Paid-up Capital ...	20,000
Held on Deposit ...	55,000
Reserve Fund ...	10,500

DIRECTORS:
W. H. HENTSCH
Hon. H. E. COHEN
J. T. B. GIBBS
F. A. WRIGHT
JOHN BROOMFIELD
HY. CHAPMAN.

Advances made on Freehold Security only.

NO APPLICATION FEES.

The Funds of this Company being invested on FIRST MORTGAGES OF FREEHOLD PROPERTIES and in Suburban Lands, carefully selected, NO BETTER SECURITY can be offered to Depositors.

RATES FOR MONEYS ON DEPOSIT.
12 Months ... 7 per cent.
At Call ... 6 per cent. per annum.

Savings' Bank, in which small sums may be deposited and interest allowed on daily balance.
JAMES A. TODD, Manager.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, and LAND COMPANY, Limited.

CAPITAL ...	£500,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ...	£350,000.
RESERVE FUND ...	£55,000.
UNCALLED CAPITAL ...	£250,000.

HEAD OFFICE: 24, HUNTER-STREET.

Directors:
HENRY GORMAN, Esq., J.P., Chairman.
F. A. WRIGHT, Esq., J.P., Vice-Chairman.
C. C. SKARRATT, Esq., J.P. | Hon. WM. CLARKE, M.P.
J. H. NEWMAN, Esq., J.P. | Dr. GARRAN, M.L.C.

Bankers: UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

The Company is prepared to receive money on deposit to any amount at the following RATES OF INTEREST:
Deposits at call, without notice, 4 per cent. per annum.
Deposits at 6 months' notice, 5 per cent. per annum.
Deposits at 12 months' notice, 6 per cent. per annum.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS BEARING INTEREST.
Current or drawing accounts are also opened with trading firms and private persons, according to the usual practice of bankers, but with the important exception that interest is allowed on the daily balance at the rate of FOUR PER CENT. per annum. These accounts are operated on by cheque-books obtainable at the Offices of the Company.

TO DEPOSITORS.
The Company, having a large and wealthy COLONIAL and ENGLISH proprietary, offers the very best security, as the whole of its funds is invested in or lent upon City and Suburban Freehold and Leasehold Properties, which undoubtedly form the most stable of all investments.
The Company's Prospectus obtainable on application at the Offices, 24, Hunter-street, Sydney.
A. R. KERR, Acting Manager.

THE HAYMARKET PERMANENT LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Offices—Corn Exchange, George-street, Haymarket.

CAPITAL ...	£100,000
RESERVE FUND ...	£26,000
RESERVES and UNDIVIDED PROFITS ...	£80,000

The above Company is prepared to receive FIXED DEPOSITS at highest current rates.
CURRENT DEPOSITS, withdrawable without notice, received daily. Interest allowed on the daily balance.
TO BORROWERS:
The Company is prepared to advance on good freehold security, at moderate rates of interest.
Owners of ELIGIBLE BLOCKS of LAND, in good positions, suitable for subdivision, are invited to send in particulars and prices to the undersigned.
G. W. DUESBURY, General Manager.

JOHN TAIT, JUN., STOCK and SHARE BROKER, FINANCE, PROPERTY, and GENERAL AGENT, 42, Castlereagh-street.

NEW SOUTH WALES INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

Head Office—100, Bathurst-street, Sydney.

CAPITAL, £500,000, in 500,000 SHARES of £1 EACH.

DIRECTORS:
F. E. Rogers, Esq. | Chas. Jesson, Esq., J.P.
W. Creagh, Esq. | J. Cutter, Esq.
W. B. Cole, Esq. | T. G. Redmond, Esq.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED at the following RATES of INTEREST:—
Twelve months ... 7½ per cent. | Participating in
Six months ... 6 per cent. | Profits.

Interest at the rate of 5 per cent. on the daily balances allowed on current accounts.

DEPOSIT BANK and OFFICES, in addition to ordinary office hours, are open SATURDAYS and MONDAYS from 7 p.m to 9 p.m.

Share List still open, and Shares issued daily.

The Company have for Private Sale a few Allotments in the splendid subdivision of Park View Estate, Alexandria, and Viney's Estate, Burwood. Also, in their splendid subdivision, River View Estate, Mortlake, which is the most profitable land in the market for investors. Plans and particulars at the offices.
J. W. SMYTHE, Secretary.

THE Advertiser, having a considerable Capital at his disposal, is prepared to make immediate CASH ADVANCES at an extremely LOW RATE OF INTEREST, on all descriptions of Securities, without the necessity of a Bill of Sale or any publicity whatever.
Loans may be repaid as under:—
Loan of £100, repayable by monthly instalments of £2 5s
Loan of £50, repayable by monthly instalments of £1 10s
Loan of £20, repayable by monthly instalments of £1
Loan of £10, repayable by monthly instalments of 10s.
All communications strictly private.
Confidence, Box 293, General Post Office.

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK, 109, ELIZABETH-STREET, opposite Registrar-General's Office. OBSERVE.—This is the OLDEST office in the colonies. ADVANCES made on Bills of Sale, P. Notes. Deposit of Deeds (no cost) at a MODERATE interest, and WITHOUT delay. The UTMOST PRIVACY can be relied upon. Bills discounted daily.
HENRY PARKER, Manager.
Office Hours: 9 to 8 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays, 6 to 8 p.m.

VICTORIAN LOAN and DISCOUNT COMPANY, 724, George-street, Haymarket (next Mercantile Bank). Advances on Bills of Sale, P. Ns., Deeds, and any security. Low interest. Easy repayments. No delay. Strict privacy. Bills discounted daily. DOUGLAS ALLEYNE, Manager. Hours, 9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays, 6 to 8 p.m.

AUSTRALIAN MORTGAGE, LAND, AND FINANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Incorporated 1863.

CAPITAL, £4,000,000.

Head Office—13, Leadenhall-street, E.C., London. General Manager, E. M. Young. Colonial Offices—Melbourne, Geelong, and Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN BOARD.
Sir James MacBain, M.L.C., Chairman.
John Russell Ross, Esq.
William Drysdale, Esq. (Inspector).

LOCAL BOARD OF ADVICE.
James Sutherland Mitchell, Esq.
Hon. Henry Carey Dangar, M.L.C.

The Company makes ADVANCES on PASTORAL PROPERTIES, Station Bills, and ensuing Clip of Wool, and acts in the capacity of Squatting Bankers and Agents.
W. A. COTTEE, Local Manager.
2, Spring-street, Sydney.

THE MERCANTILE, FINANCE, and DEPOSITORS' COMPANY, Limited.

The Company advances on securities of all kinds, discounts bills, and does all finance business.
Highest rates given for fixed deposits.
Prospectus may be seen, and shares obtained on application to
F. W. MIDDLETON, Managing Director, 42, Castlereagh-street.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND AGENCY COMPANY, Limited

Capital, £1,000,000.

Directors:
Sir HENRY BARKLY, K.C.B., G.C.M.G.
Lord GEORGE G. CAMPBELL
JOHN HENDERSON, Esq., J.P.
ALEX. LAWRIE, Esq.
J. RAMSAY L'AMY, Esq., F.R.S.E.
ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR, Esq., M.P.
Local Directors:
Hon. J. B. WATT, M.L.C.
C. ROLLESTON, Esq., C.M.G.
E. D. ADAMS, Esq.
GEORGE MUNRO, Esq.
W. E. WILSON, Esq.
Solicitors: Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN.

This Company advances on Freehold and Leasehold Estates, Stock, Station, and other properties.
Full particulars and forms of application can be obtained by applying to the Company.
Offices—7, Bent-street, Sydney.

WATER Frontages, £30 Acre, adjoining Blocks £12 10s Acre, Perth. Splendid spec. Plans and reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and other reliable gentlemen. Don't fail call. GARRARD and HAMILTON, 133a, Elizabeth-st.

METROPOLITAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited, 65, Market-street, Sydney, between Pitt and Castlereagh streets.

Registered capital, £150,000.
Paid-up capital, £100,000.
Reserve fund, £12,500.

Directors:
Alexander Thomson, Esq., chairman.
Henry Dean, Esq. | J. B. Elphinstone, Esq.
John Hardie, Esq. | W. A. Hutchinson, Esq.
Humphrey Richardson, Esq.

SHARES can be obtained on application, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, besides annual bonus. The Association has paid its members 10½ per cent. per annum since its commencement.
MONEY received on FIXED DEPOSIT, at highest current rates of interest.
SUMS of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS and upwards received, payable at three days' notice, at current rate of interest.
ENDOWMENT POLICIES issued up to £1000, payable in 5 or 10 years, participating in profits at exceptionally low rates of premium.
SAVINGS BANK.—Deposits of 5s and upwards received, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on daily balance, repayable without notice.
LIBERAL ADVANCES to build or purchase freehold or leasehold properties, at moderate rate of interest.
ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

Office: Minerva-chambers, 126, Pitt-street (opposite Hoffnung's).

Authorised Capital ...	£100,000
Paid-up Capital ...	52,000
Reserve Fund ...	17,500

DIRECTORS:
W. S. BUZACOTT, Esq., J.P., Chairman | J. THOMPSON, Esq., J.P., Vice-Chairman
JOHN CALLAGHAN, Esq., J.P. | JAMES WARD, Esq.
DAVID MACKEY, Esq., J.P.

RATES OF INTEREST.
Deposits at call, without notice, 5 per cent.
Deposits at 6 months, 6 per cent.
S. H. LEWIS, Manager.

IMPERIAL LAND, BUILDING, AND DEPOSIT COMPANY, Limited.

HEAD OFFICE—HOFFNUNG'S-BUILDINGS, 171, PITT-STREET (late Commercial Bank of Australia).

Capital, £100,000, in 100,000 Shares of £1 each.

W. GRAHAM CAMERON, Esq., Chairman.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY.
To make advances for long or short periods on freehold properties, to receive money on deposit, and to transact all usual banking and building society business.
TO BORROWERS.
Advances from £100 and to any amount on freehold securities at lowest rates and on the shortest notice
REPAYABLE in 3 or 5 years, or by THE COMPANY'S LIBERAL INSTALMENTS, viz., 4s PER WEEK FOR EACH £100.
Overdrafts granted against deposit of deeds.
Current accounts opened and interest allowed on daily balance operated upon by cheque-book.

Deposits received and interest allowed.
Deposit at call, without notice ... 5 per cent.
Deposit at 3 months ... 6 per cent.
Deposit at 6 months ... 7 per cent.
Special rates for large sums and longer periods.

A fresh issue of 20,000 shares having been authorised by the Board, applications may be made to the undersigned, from whom forms and all information may be obtained, payable, 1s on application, 1s on allotment, and balance in calls of not more than 1s and at intervals of not less than 1 month.
For the convenience of those who are unable to attend during the day, the offices will be open on Monday and Saturday evenings from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
WILLIAM P. SMAIRL, Manager.

A SAFE and PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.

DIVIDEND OF TEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM GUARANTEED TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TATE BROS.' AGENCY and TRADING COMPANY, Limited, 158, SUSSEX-STREET, SYDNEY.

CAPITAL, £100,000, in 100,000 Shares of £1 each, payable 2s 6d per share on application, 2s 6d on allotment, and the balance in calls of 1s each, at intervals of not less than one month.

It is anticipated that not more than 10s per share will be called up on first issue.

Intending Applicants for Shares are reminded that it is the intention of the Board of Directors to CLOSE THE FIRST ISSUE VERY SHORTLY, so that those who desire to become shareholders are requested to send in their applications at once.

The Company have ALREADY PAID THEIR FIRST DIVIDEND of 10 per cent. per annum, secured to the shareholders in terms of their articles of association.

THE BUSINESS IS NOW THOROUGHLY and FIRMLY ESTABLISHED, and is the Most Safe and Legitimate Investment in the colony.

NOTE.
THIS IS NOT a Speculative Mining, Building, or Manufacturing Company, but a business that has been established for over 16 years, dealing with the agricultural products of the colonies and EVERY-DAY NECESSITIES OF THE PUBLIC, which as our population increases become greater.

4 per cent. is all our banking institutions allow on fixed deposits, whereas we GUARANTEE TO OUR SHAREHOLDERS 10 PER CENT., with an Interest in a Thriving and Ever-increasing Business.

Call or send for Prospectus and Articles of Association.
W. H. WESTGARTH, Secretary.

TOWN AND COUNTRY LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
Head Office, corner of Elizabeth and Bathurst streets.
Capital, £50,000, in £5 shares.
Directors: Hon. F. ABIGAIL, M.P., Chairman; S. E. LEES, Esq., M.P.; W. HENSON, Esq., M.P.; J. C. NEILD, Esq., M.P.; N. J. MACKENZIE, Esq., R. M'COY, Esq., J.P.
HIGHEST CURRENT RATES OF INTEREST FOR DEPOSITS.
Liberal Advances to Borrowers. Shares issued daily.
Annual Report and Balance-sheet on application.
W. ROBSON, Manager.

LAND COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

Authorised Capital ...	£1,000,000
Subscribed Capital ...	280,000
Unpaid Capital Reserve...	200,000

OFFICES:
SYDNEY ... 278, Pitt-street
LONDON ... 60, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.
MELBOURNE ... 48, Collins-street West.

COURT of DIRECTORS:
William Hudson, Esq., Chairman,
Geo. R. Whiting, Esq. | W. J. Ferguson, Esq.
Robert Hudson, Esq., J.P. | Herbert Buck, Esq.
S. W. Burridge, Esq., J.P. | A. W. Stephen, Esq.
William Harris, Esq. | Richard Wain, Esq.
John Wetherill, Esq., J.P. | Alfred B. Campbell, Esq.
Donnelly Fisher, Esq. | James G. Edwards, Esq., J.P.
Thos. Blencowe, Esq. | G. Baker Walker, Esq.

SYDNEY and MELBOURNE BOARD of MANAGEMENT:
William Harris, Esq. | James G. Edwards, Esq., J.P.
G. Baker Walker, Esq.

LONDON BOARD of MANAGEMENT:
John C. Thynne, Esq. | C. Shuttleworth Buck, Esq.

MELBOURNE BOARD of ADVICE:
Robert Hudson, Esq., J.P. (Director)
William Kelty, Esq. (Manager).

RATES of INTEREST ALLOWED on DEPOSITS:
6½ per cent. per annum for 12 months
5½ per cent. per annum for 6 months
4½ per cent. per annum for 3 months
4 per cent. per annum for deposits at call,
and on the daily balance to credit of Current Accounts, which can be operated upon by cheques in the usual manner.

This company having large sums of money available for investment, is prepared to make advances on MORTGAGE of FREEHOLD PROPERTY, either for FIXED PERIODS or REPAYABLE by INSTALMENTS, and to DISCOUNT PROMISSORY NOTES secured by deposit of Deeds, Deposit Receipts, or Certificates of Title to Shares in Banks, Investment Companies, and Building Societies.
G. BAKER WALKER, General Manager.

PERMANENT MUTUAL BENEFIT, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.
Offices—312, George-street, near Wynyard-street.
M. Chapman, Esq., M.P., Chairman.
FIXED DEPOSITS RECEIVED at full current rates.
ADVANCES made on approved City and Suburban Securities to any extent.
Full particulars may be had on application at the offices.
J. M. FOGARTY, Secretary.

MONEY ADVANCED DAILY by G. W. GODWIN at moderate interest and easy terms of repayment. No delay. All transactions held strictly private.
Offices—178, Phillip-street, near King-street.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED POUNDS to LEND on Mortgage. A. J. Hordern, 211, Pitt-street.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHARES in the ST. LEONARDS LAND, B., and I. COMPANY, Limited, are now being received.
Last two dividends declared 12½ per cent. Copies of balance-sheets and other information afforded on application to
G. T. CLARKE, Manager.
Head Office of the Company: Walker-street, North Shore.

BEST SPEC. IN THE MARKET.
ST. LEONARDS, PERTH.
RIVER FRONTAGES, OPPOSITE THE CITY.
Impartial reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and Pike and Owen.
WATER FRONTAGES £30, ACRE BLOCKS; adjoining BLOCKS, £12 10s ACRE.
£1 deposit; £1 per month.
Call for Plans and Reports.
GARRARD and HAMILTON,
133a, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

LAND, MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT COMPANY, Limited. (INCORPORATED under the Companies Act.)

CAPITAL ... £75,000, with power to increase.

Offices: 62, ROYAL ARCADE (first floor), Pitt-street side.

Trade Bills discounted daily without delay.
ADVANCES on MERCHANDISE under hypothecation, BILLS of LADING, MORTGAGES, LEASE or FREEHOLDS, Bills of Sale without possession, in small or large amounts.
REVERSIONARY INTERESTS, LEGACIES, European Remittances advanced on.
HUGH SHARPE, Manager.

MONEY advanced on DEEDS within 10 minutes after application. REPAYMENTS to suit borrowers. SYDNEY DEPOSIT and DISCOUNT BANK, Beaumont's-chambers, 90, King-street, opposite Arcade.
H. LIKELY, Secretary.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT PERMANENT BUILDING, LAND, and INVESTMENT SOCIETY, Offices: 171, York-street.
Deposits received to any extent.
Highest current rates allowed.
WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.

EQUITABLE PERMANENT B. BUILDING, LAND, and SAVINGS INSTITUTION.

Offices, Pitt and Park streets.

SPECIAL NOTICE to THOSE in WANT of MONEY.

In consequence of the abundance of money now available, the directors have resolved to reduce the rate of interest upon all new mortgages to 7½ per cent. per annum.
Applications for loans can be made at any time, and will be dealt with promptly.
The repayment system of 5s 4d per week per £100, covering principal and interest, is one of the popular features.
All possible information gladly furnished by calling at the offices.
THOS. MILLER, Manager.

CIVIL SERVICE BUILDING SOCIETY, 184, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
Board of Management.
President: Hon. Sir JOHN ROBERTSON, K.C.M.G.
Trustees, Ex-officio Directors: JOHN WILLIAMS, Esq., Hon. Sir ROBERT WISDOM, K.C.M.G., M.P.
Directors: Chas. A. Goodchap, Esq., Archd. C. Fraser, Esq., James Barnet, Esq., John Young, Esq., J.P.
SHARES, £25 each, payable by monthly instalments of 2s 6d per share, on which 6½ per cent. compound interest is allowed, together with share in the profits.
Advances made on freehold security, repayable by monthly instalments extending over any time to 10 years, and borrowers share in the profits.
FIXED DEPOSITS RECEIVED AT HIGHEST CURRENT RATES.
C. H. LYONS, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF PARRAMATTA.

LOAN OF £15,000.

£15,000 for fifteen years, bearing interest at £6 per centum per annum, payable half yearly. The principal when due to be paid at the Commercial Bank, Parramatta.

TENDERS for the above loan will be received at the Council-chamber, Parramatta, up to noon on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of SEPTEMBER, 1887, addressed to the Mayor of Parramatta, and endorsed "Tenders for Loan."
Tenderers to state whether on debentures or otherwise.
Present indebtedness of the Council, £23,100.
Estimated revenue for five years, £60,000.
By order of the Mayor.
S. WICKHAM, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Parramatta, August 26, 1887.

NATIONAL LOAN BANK and DISCOUNT COMPANY, 197, Castlereagh-street, near Mercantile Building Society.

Cash Advances made from £10 to £10,000, at low rates of interest, on personal security, promissory notes, bills of sale; on furniture without removal, leasehold and freehold land, building society, mining, gas, bank, and other shares, interest under wills, life policies, bills of lading, bonded certificates, or any other available securities.
Repayable by easy instalments to suit borrowers.
Bills discounted daily at very low rates.
All business transactions strictly confidential.
Communications by letter promptly attended to.
A. GOLDBERG, Manager.

LIBERAL ADVANCES can be obtained at moderate rate of interest and low scale of repayment on approved freehold and leasehold securities within the metropolitan district. For particulars apply to the Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, 65, Market-street, Sydney.
ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

MONEY.—Wanted, INVESTMENTS for Money at 6 to 7 per cent. Wm. Cowper, 435, Oxford-street, Pad.

NOTICE TO BORROWERS. MONEY.
If you are in want of a TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION, be careful to call at the OLD-ESTABLISHED OFFICE, AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL, 42, Hunter-street, where you can get what you require without having to pay commission or have your name hawked about in every office.
CASH ADVANCES from £10 to £1000, on all kinds of security, at reasonable rates of interest.
SPECIALTIES.—First or second Mortgages of freehold or leasehold property, without registration if so required. No mortgage charges, and for any period at current rates.
For full particulars apply Australian Mutual Mortgage and Discount Company, 42, Hunter-street.

THOS. J. STUTCHBURY, STOCK and SHARE BROKER, has ON SALE—NEW REFORM, NEW REFORM PUPS; BURNT YARD, GOLD; RISING SUN, TERRIBLE DICK, and SUNNY CORNER SILVER SHARES.

THE HAND-IN-HAND MUTUAL PERMANENT INVESTMENT and BUILDING SOCIETY.
Registered under the Friendly Societies Act.
Trustees:
THOMAS LOCKWOOD, Esq., J.P., Bond-street, President.
WM. FRASER MARTIN, Esq., M.L.A., Sussex-street, Vice-president.
CHARLES DAVIS, Esq., Temple-court.
Directors:
SAMUEL GOOLD, Esq., J.P., Broad Oaks, Parramatta River.
Capt. JOHN VINE HALL, Change-alley.
CHARLES GEORGE CAMERON, Esq., 118, Pitt-street.

This Society is established on the Mutual Permanent principle. Investors are guaranteed a fair rate of interest with a share of the profits, and Loans are granted upon the ordinary building society system, repayable fortnightly, monthly, or quarterly, or may remain for a fixed term of years, with freedom from the usual high fees and mortgage expenses.
By accepting only the very safest securities, which will enable the society to charge borrowers the LOWEST REMUNERATIVE RATE OF INTEREST, and by equitable treatment alike of INVESTOR AND BORROWER, combined with strict economy of management, the society will secure to its members the business and profit that cannot fail to be derived from the establishment of a well-managed and Popular Non-speculative Building Society.
SHARES are issued daily—
Fully paid-up, £20 each.
Contributing, 1s per share per fortnight, bearing compound interest.
Members holding paid-up and contributing shares are also entitled to participate in the profits of the society.
DEPOSITS are received at the highest current rates FOR ANY PERIOD, or REPAYABLE ON DEMAND.
Prospectus and further particulars on application.
ROBERT W. J. HARLEY, Manager.
Offices: National-chambers, corner of Pitt and Bond streets.

BURWOOD LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY Limited.
Sydney Offices: Temperance Hall, 302, Pitt-street, Sydney.
Burwood Offices: Burwood-road, Burwood.

Registered Capital ... £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
Wm. Deane, Esq., 55, Elizabeth-street, Chairman
R. M. Vaughn, Esq., M.L.A., Grenfell, Vice-Chairman
John Brown, Esq., J.P., Emu Hall, Emu Plains
James Brierley, Esq., Lucas-road, Burwood
James O. Phillips, Esq., Westleigh, Neutral Bay
Patrick O'Doud, Esq., 135, Sussex-street.

Deposits received at the following rates:—At call, at 5 per cent.; 6 months, at 6½ per cent.; 12 months, at 7½ per cent.
Loans granted on good security.
The share list will shortly close.
W. H. CANTY, Manager.

THE INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited, 96, Bathurst-street.

Subscribed Capital, £61,000. Paid up, £16,000. Reserve Fund, £8,000.

WILLIAM M'COURT, Esq., J.P., M.L.A., Chairman.

The success of this Company has been most gratifying to the Shareholders, it having paid from the commencement dividends at the rate of 15 per cent. on the paid-up capital.
Shares can no longer be taken up at par, but are only issued at a premium of 5s each.
The Company's DEPOSIT BRANCH allows interest on all sums from 10s upwards, deposited at call, at the rate of 5 per cent.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
Deposits for 3 months receive 5 per cent.
Deposits for 6 months receive 6 per cent.
Deposits for 12 months receive 7 per cent.
And last year the Fixed Deposits received also a bonus of 2 per cent.
WILLIAM SIMPSON, Managing Director.

MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA, George and Wynyard streets, Sydney.
Applications for LOANS ON MORTGAGE (city and suburbs) can now be granted at current rates.
J. C. REMINGTON, General Manager.
Sydney, 2nd September, 1887.

NEW ISSUE OF SHARES.
AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL INVESTMENT AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

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	1885.	1886.
Total Receipts ...	£330,318 4 11	£427,420 13 10
Money received on Deposit ...	285,921 19 7	321,713 11 9
Repayments of Loans and Deposits and Instalments on Land	41,160 11 1	84,767 11 8
Balance to Credit of Depositors	200,666 4 8	231,109 9 1
Land Buyers' and Borrowers' Balances ...	212,757 2 8	242,162 12 8
Unsold Land at cost price ...	85,560 10 7	84,665 4 3
Advances made by Company for purposes of building ...	54,363 3 5	58,253 7 7

The net profits for the year, after paying all expenses, amounted to £12,555 18s 6d, which, after deducting interim dividend to June 30 (£2500), left a balance of £10,055 18s 6d, which was appropriated as follows:—

To Payment of Dividend to Shareholders at the rate of 6s per share per annum ...	£3,049 4 4
Bonus to Depositors, at 1½ per cent. per annum; Bonus to Borrowers, 2 per cent. per annum; Bonus to Land Buyers, 8 per cent. per annum ...	2,991 17 5
Amount transferred to Reserve Fund ...	2,000 0 0
Leaving a balance to credit of profit and loss of ...	2,014 16 9
	£10,055 18 6

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GAS RINGS and COOKERS, all sizes, with double taps and tubings.
PERFORATED CHAIR SEATS, to mend chairs quickly and easily.
Our 44-page Illustrated Price List free on application.
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FOR SALE, TANKS, cheap, best London makers. Castlemaine Brewery, Sydney.

BEFORE Buying anywhere else, try PETER SMITH for Tools, Ironmongery, Earthenware, China, and Glass, single and double-barrell choke-bore Guns; cheapest house for axes in Sydney. 767, George-street.

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MILNER'S FIRE-RESISTING SAFES. STRONG-ROOM DOORS and VENTILATING GRATES.
AWARDED FIRST PRIZE at the Sydney International Exhibition, and GOLD MEDAL at the Melbourne Exhibition, and the ONLY SAFE which PRESERVED ALL ITS CONTENTS in the Terrific Conflagration that destroyed the Garden Palace.
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KEROSENE OIL STOVES, cheaper than gas; no smell, no smoke, no danger. The handiest article in a house; will boil, roast, and grill. HEBBLEWHITE and CO., 416, George-street.

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The Younger Cooking Stove is the best and strongest ever used in the colony. We are daily receiving testimonials from all parts informing us that they are the best and cheapest Stoves they ever used. They are suitable for either wood or coal, and require no setting. We have all sizes in stock, from 24 to 54 inches long. The latter size will cook for 100 people. Duplicate parts on hand. Send for reduced price-lists and testimonials.
GEORGE FLETCHER and SON, Ironfounders and Ironmongers, Oxford-street, Sydney.

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FANCY GOODS.—For SALE, lot of Mechanical Toys, Stationery, Paints, Novelties, Pocket-books, Games, &c.; taken for a debt; new goods, cost lot of money; only £8 lot, given away; case. Academy of Music, Botany-st., near Oxf.-st.

WATER Frontages, £30 Acre, adjoining Blocks £12 10s Acre, Perth. Splendid spec. Plans and reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and other reliable gentlemen. Don't fail call. GARRARD and HAMILTON, 133a, Elizabeth-st.

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Government Notices.

SPECIAL NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATIONS having been made, under section 79 of the Real Property Act, by the undermentioned, to be registered as "Proprietors by Transmission" of the lands hereunder described, such applications will be complied with, and Certificates of Title issued in accordance therewith, unless Caveats be lodged on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Name and Residence of Applicant.	Title, how claimed.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
MMMDCCCX. 34½ perches, lots Nos. 21 and 22 on deposited plan No 1620, situate in the parish of St. John and county of Cumberland.	Sarah Elizabeth Spring, of Sofala.	Devisee under the will of Baron Spring, who died 11th December, 1886.	1887. September 8.
MMMDCCCXI. 282 acres 3 roods, portion No. 59, situate in the parish of Warrah and county of Buckland.	Alexander Nowland, of Quirindi.	Devisee under the will of William Nowland, who died 28th April, 1884.	September 8.
MMMDCCCXII. An undivided moiety or equal half part or share of and in 50 acres, portion No. 46, in the parish of Kanimbla and county of Cook.	Thomas M'Gregor, of Sydney.	Administrator of the intestate estate of Chas. Grant M'Gregor, who died 13th May, 1882.	September 8.
MMMDCCCXIII. 2 roods 36 perches, lot No. 5; 2 roods 35 perches, lot No. 6; 2 roods 34 perches, lot No. 7; and 2 roods 32 perches, lot No. 9 of section No. 3, situate in the village of Raglan, parish of Kelso, and county of Roxburgh.	John Busby and James Simmonds, of Bathurst.	Trustees under the will of David Newell, who died 4th April, 1887.	September 8.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 8th day of August 1887, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

CENTENNIAL PARK.

(In lieu of previous advertisement.)

Roads and Bridges Department, 24th August, 1887.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the following Works in connection with the CENTENNIAL PARK:—

CONTRACT 1.—Supply and delivery of 40,600 lineal feet of sandstone kerbing (more or less); and of 25,000 cubic yards of sandstone ballast (more or less).

Specifications may be seen at the Road Office, Centennial Park, or at the Public Works Office, where all information can be obtained.

Each tender must bear the signatures of two responsible persons willing to become sureties to the extent of 10 per cent. on the amount of tender for the due performance of the contract.

Tenders, endorsed "Contract 1, Centennial Park," to be forwarded, under cover, to the Principal Under-Secretary, not later than noon on TUESDAY, the 6th day of September next.

(Signed) HENRY PARKES.

Roads and Bridges Department, 2nd September, 1887.

CENTENNIAL PARK.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the following work in connection with the CENTENNIAL PARK:—

CONTRACT 2. Excavating, Embanking, and Forming 186 Chains 29 Links of Roadway.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Public Works Office, where all information can be obtained.

Each Tender must bear the signatures of two responsible persons willing to become sureties to the extent of £500 for the due performance of the contract.

Rails for 120 chains of waggon-roads will be supplied to the contractor by the Government.

Tenders, endorsed "Contract 2, Centennial Park," to be forwarded, under cover, to the Principal Under-Secretary, not later than Noon on THURSDAY, the 8th day of September.

HENRY PARKES.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 2nd September, 1887.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see Government Gazette, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony.

Tenderers may be in attendance when the tenders are opened, and the name of the successful tenderer will be announced, if possible, before the duties of the Board have terminated.

No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly complied with.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates to which Tenders can be received at this office.
Supply of Sandstone Kerbing and Ballast, for Centennial Park Construction, &c., Engine, Pumps, and Boilers, Contract 3, Lismore Water Supply Supply, &c., of Reticulation Pipes, &c., Contract 4, Lismore Water Supply Erection of Police Barracks, Bourke Erection of Fencing, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Berrima Erection of Room, Courthouse, Jerilderie Erection of Bridge, Rocky Gully, road Walcha to Port Macquarie Supply at Bullock Island of 6000 Railway Sleepers	Tuesday, Sept. 6, at 11 o'clock.
Erection of Waiting Shed, &c., Unanderra, and Station Buildings, &c., Dapto Supply of Coke for Newcastle-Plattsburg Tramway Additions, &c., Courthouse, Warren Additions, &c., Gaol, Yass Verandah, &c., Post-office, Moruya Water-closets, &c., Courthouse, Gosford Erection of Bridge over Williams's River, at Munni Crossing (exclusive of supply of ironwork) Painting, &c., Colonial Secretary's Office Supply of Coal for Great Southern and Western Railways, 1888, 1889, 1890 Supply of Gravel, Great Southern Railway, at 156m. 15ch.	Tuesday, Sept. 13, at 11 o'clock.
Additions, &c., Lock-up, Wagga Wagga Construction of Tank, Courthouse, Cooma Fencing, &c., Courthouse, Lismore Additions, &c., Courthouse, Brewarrina Erection of Quarters for Gaoler, Wollongong Erection of Stable, &c., Courthouse, Collector. Supply of Sleepers at Cootamundra and Old Junee	Tuesday, Sept. 20, at 11 o'clock.
Completion of New Lands Office, Sydney Erection of Wharf, &c., Green Point, Brisbane Water	Tuesday, Sept. 27, at 11 o'clock.
Erection of Courthouse, Eastern Suburbs	Tuesday, October 4, at 11 o'clock.
Bridge over Cooper's Creek-road, Bexhill to Williams	Tuesday, October 11, at 11 o'clock.
Manufacture, &c., of Single Ladder Steam Dredge, for Sydney Harbour	Tuesday, October 18, at 11 o'clock.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, August 31, 1887.

TENDERS FOR CONVERSION OF CESSPITS.

TENDERS are invited for Converting the Cesspits at the Surry Hills South Public School into Water Closets, and connecting them with sewer.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the office of the Department of Public Instruction, Sydney.

Tenders endorsed "Tender for Conversion of Cesspits, Surry Hills South Public School," must be lodged with the Acting Under-Secretary, Department of Public Instruction, at or before 10 o'clock a.m., on WEDNESDAY, September 14, 1887.

The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAMES INGLIS.

Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, 2nd September, 1787.

TENDERS for CLASSROOM and ADDITIONS to Teacher's Residence.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Classroom, and for Additions to the Teacher's Residence in connection with the Public School at Peakhurst.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the Office of the Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, and at the Public School, Peakhurst, on application to the Teacher.

Tenders, endorsed "Tender for classroom and additions to teacher's residence, Peakhurst Public School," must be lodged with the Acting Under-Secretary, Department of Public Instruction, at or before 10 o'clock a.m., on MONDAY, 19th September, 1887.

The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAMES INGLIS.

ROADS DEPARTMENT.

RESUMPTION OF LAND for ROAD ALONG MAIN BONDI SEWER, from OLD SOUTH HEAD-ROAD TO CLIFFS.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

ATTENTION is hereby called to a notification of Resumption of Lands under 44 Vic., No. 16, published in the Gazette of the 30th August, 1887, No. 471, page 5441; in the Sydney Morning Herald of the 22nd August, 1887, page 2; and in the Daily Telegraph of the 26th August, 1887, page 2; containing a description of certain parcels of land situated in the parish of Alexandria, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, and resumed for the purpose of constructing a Military Road to connect the Old South Head-road with the proposed forts near Bondi.

Tracings indicating the precise position of the lands above referred to are deposited, for the information of the public in the Water Police Court, Phillip-street, Sydney, and in the Sewerage Office, Bridge-street, Sydney, and may there be inspected by all persons desirous of doing so.

JOHN RAE, Under-Secretary for Public Works.

Public Works Department, September 2, 1887.

Department of Lands, Sydney, August 26, 1887.

LEASES FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES.

ATTENTION is directed to the notification in the Government Gazette of this date, in reference to the proposal to grant Special Leases as hereunder mentioned.

Any objections lodged on or before the 23rd proximo will be duly considered.

Leichhardt Municipal Council, for jetty at Long Cove.
Australian Kerosene and Mineral Co., Limited, for jetty at Parramatta, near Duck Creek.
C. E. Jeanneret, for jetty at Blandeville, Parramatta River.
R. T. Clarke, for jetty, &c., at Woolwich, Parramatta River.
Colonial Sugar Refining Co., for jetty at Elizabeth Bay, Pyrmont.
Sydney Municipal Council, for wharf at Dawes Point.
E. C. Gleeson, for boatshed, &c., at Mortlake, Parramatta River.

Department of Mines, Forest Branch, Sydney, 30th August, 1887.

ATTENTION is invited to the Notice in the Government Gazette of 30th August, calling for TENDERS under the Prickly Pear Destruction Act of 1886, for LEASE of a portion of Crown Lands, adjoining measured portions 111, 172, and 180, and fronting the road from Warkworth to Broke, area about 100 acres, parish of Warkworth, county of Northumberland.

The tenderer to state the term required.

Tenders will be received at the Department of Mines up to Noon of TUESDAY, 4th October, 1887.

A tracing showing the area, conditions of lease, and copy of bond may be inspected, and form of tender obtained, at the Courthouse, Singleton, and at this Department.

HARRIE WOOD, Under Secretary.

Department of Railways, Sydney, August 22, 1887.

HAWKESBURY RACES. 8th and 10th SEPTEMBER, 1887.

TICKETS at HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES will be issued at all stations to WINDSOR, CLARENDON, and RICHMOND, from the 5th to the 10th September inclusive, available for return until 12th September.

Grooms in charge of racehorses will be allowed to travel at Excursion Fares from 29th August till the 10th September, available for return until the 17th September.

The single rate for the double journey will be charged for horses entered for the races, on the Secretary to the Race Club certifying that they are entered for the races, and are returned unsold to the station whence they came.

SPECIAL TRAINS will leave SYDNEY for the RACECOURSE on the 8th and 10th September, at 9.20, 9.35, and 10.30 a.m.

The first and second Special Trains will consist of Second Class Carriages only. Fare, 4s for the return journey.

The third Special Train will consist of First Class Carriages only. Fare for return journey, 12s.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Public Companies.

PROSPECTUS of the NEW BRIGHTON RECREATION GROUND and ATHLETIC SPORTS COMPANY, Limited, LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH, ROCKDALE, May be had at the OFFICES, 156, PITT-STREET.

D. DAVIES, Secretary, Pro tem.

THE COMMERCIAL BUILDING and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Offices: Waltham-buildings, Bond-street, Sydney.

Directors: J. R. Street, Esq., M.L.A., Chairman.
H. E. A. Allan, Esq. | Rolfe A. Cape, Esq.
Hon. S. A. Joseph, M.L.C. | J. J. Weston, Esq.

Subscribed capital, £200,000. Paid-up capital, £50,000. Reserve Fund, £7000.

Money received on fixed deposit for three months and upwards.

J. STUART-MASON, Manager.

TATE BROTHERS' AGENCY and TRADING COMPANY, Limited.

Capital, £100,000, in 100,000 shares of £1 each. Registered under the Companies Act.

HEAD OFFICES: 158, SUSSEX-STREET, SYDNEY.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
JAMES STEERS, Esq., Chairman.
ROBT. CAMPBELL, Esq., J.P. (President Manning River and North Coast Farmers' Association)
R. R. de B. LOPEZ, Esq., J.P.
GEORGE W. TATE, Esq., JOHN TATE, Esq. } Managing Directors.

THE COMPANY'S DEPOSIT AND SAVINGS BANK.

FIXED DEPOSITS for 3, 6, and 12 months will be received, and the highest rate of interest allowed.

AMOUNTS WITHDRAWABLE AT CALL, interest paid at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum (computed on the weekly balances), and withdrawable by the depositor at any time.

A DIVIDEND OF 10 PER CENT. IS GUARANTEED AND SECURED TO THE SHAREHOLDERS FOR THE FIRST THREE YEARS.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHARES will be received.

Prospectus on Application.

W. H. WESTGARTH, Secretary.

THE SCOTTISH AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Established in 1840.

Registered and Incorporated 27th October, 1856.

Offices: Old Broad-street, London; and Phillip-street North, Sydney.

Capital, £1,000,000. Reserve Fund, £105,000.

DIRECTORS: FREDERICK PETERSON WARD, Esq., Chairman.
Charles Garston Grainger, Esq. | George Thomas Rait, Esq.
Richard Byam Ottley, Esq. | George Smith, Esq.
James Shand, Esq.

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY:
ARCHIBALD SHANNON, Esq., Manager in Australia
HENRY FREDERICK CHILCOTT, Esq., Sub-Manager in Australia
FREDERICK WILLIAM TURNER, Esq., Secretary to the Company in London.

AGENTS IN QUEENSLAND: Messrs. B. D. MOREHEAD and CO., Brisbane.

This Company is prepared to make Advances on Mortgage of Freehold and Leasehold Estates, Stock, Station, and other Properties.

AUSTRALIAN GENERAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (MARINE). HEAD OFFICE: 97, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Established 1836.

Paid-up Capital ... £42,000
Reserve Fund ... £5,000

Board of Directors: CHARLES SMITH, Esq., Chairman;
HENRY AUSTIN, Esq. | JOHN GILCHRIST, Esq.
Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C. | Hon. J. B. WATT, M.L.C.
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MARINE RISKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES.

WOOL INSURED from time of shearing until reaching London.

HENRY T. FOX, Manager.

THE MERCANTILE BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, AND SAVINGS BANK.

Head Office: Park and Castlereagh streets, Sydney.

Capital, £100,000. Reserve Fund, £22,000.

HIGHEST RATES of INTEREST for DEPOSITS.
Twelve months ... 7 per cent.
Six months ... 6 per cent.
At call withdrawable any time ... 5 per cent.

On 30th June, 1885, the deposits amounted to £3017 19s 4d; on 30th June, 1886, to £47,950 6s 6d; and on 30th June, 1887, to £94,964 8s 5d. No better evidence can be given to prove the confidence of the public in this Company.

NEW ISSUE OF SHARES.

A limited number of Investing Shares or Coupons are still available. Up to the present time the Coupons taken up have advanced to £10,120, showing that this class of investment, INCURRING NO LIABILITY, at the same time returning such a satisfactory rate of INTEREST—10 PER CENT.—is becoming appreciated by investors.

ASSETS of the Company at 30th June, 1887: £265,119 3s 8d.

RESERVE FUND, £22,000.

APPLICATIONS for NEW SHARES received daily.

EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, General Manager.

CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited.

Head Office, 48, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

Directors: J. See, Esq., M.L.A. (chairman).
Dr. Power | F. B. Freehill, Esq., M.A.
P. Hogan, Esq., M.L.A. | John Hardie, Esq., J.P.
Hon. E. Barton, M.L.C. | Hon. J. P. Garvan, M.L.A.

Auditors: John B. C. Miles, Esq. (Messrs. Davenport, Miles, and Co.). W. G. Winton, Esq.

Life assurance in all its branches transacted at lowest rates of premium.

J. P. GARVAN, Managing Director.

PROSPECTUS of the CENTENNIAL-CHAMBERS COMPANY, Limited. (To be Registered under the Companies Act.)

CAPITAL—£16,000, in 16,000 SHARES of £1 EACH.

The Shares will be called up as follows:—On application, 2s 6d., on allotment, 2s 6d; in three months, 2s 6d; in six months; 2s 6d. It is intended to reserve 10s per share uncalled, as the balance required, over £8000, will be raised as debenture capital.

DIRECTORS:
C. A. M. BILLYARD, 34, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
H. R. SMITH (Lorimer, Rome, and Co.), O'Connell-street, Sydney.
LOUIS SAMUEL, Spring-street, Sydney.

ARCHITECTS: Messrs. JACKSON and EDWARDS.

BROKERS: J. MULLENS and SON, 92, Pitt-street.

This Company is formed for the purpose of leasing a vacant block of ground near Hunter street, and having frontages of 50ft. to Castlereagh-street and Elizabeth-street, by a depth of 145 feet. This block is on one of the most central parts of the city still unoccupied, and on it it is proposed to build two blocks of shops, with chambers overhead, and to utilise the central space and basement by a large Swimming Bath, having a basin area of 100ft. by 32ft., with an adjunct of hot and shower baths, and facilities for holding Tournaments and Swimming Matches from time to time. Arrangements will also be made for the use of the bath by ladies at convenient times.

The term of the lease is 50 years, at a ground rent of £1200 per annum, with right of renewal for a further term of 25 years, at an annual rent to be determined by valuation.

The building will be of brick, with slate roofs, and will be constructed throughout with 5-feet cement dado and skirting, to ensure the repairs being reduced to a minimum. The Chambers will be thoroughly ventilated, and will have double windows on the Elizabeth-street front, to exclude the noise of passing tram cars. They will also be furnished with safes in each suite, and fitted with all modern conveniences. The accompanying sketch will show that the elevation will advertise the building, and be an ornament to the neighbourhood. The architects, Messrs. Jackson and Edwards, have made a careful estimate of the cost, and report that the building can be completed for £12,000, to which may be added, for architects' commission, fittings, furniture, and a margin for contingencies, a further sum of £2200, which is £1800 within the capital of the Company.

The issue of debentures bearing 6 per cent. interest, and secured on mortgage of the property, is an essential part of the scheme, as one half of the money required will be at a fixed rate, and will leave a larger portion of the profits to be divided among the shareholders.

The estimate of capital required is as follows:—

Building and architects' commission	£12,600 0 0	
Contingencies	500 0 0	
Fittings and furniture, steam laundry, &c.	600 0 0	
Expense of forming Company	500 0 0	
Margin	1800 0 0	
	£16,000 0 0	

The estimate of profits is as under:—

From rents—		
4 Shops, at £5 per week (free of taxes)	£1,040 0 0	
5 Offices Elizabeth-street, at £75 (ditto)	375 0 0	
5 Offices, Elizabeth-street, at £60 (ditto)	300 0 0	
5 Offices, Castlereagh-street, at £90 (ditto)	450 0 0	
7 Offices, Castlereagh-street, at £50 (ditto)	350 0 0	
Swimming and other baths, for which the Directors have received an offer to lease for 5 years at a net rental of	1,200 0 0	£3,715 0 0
General charges—		
Ground rent	£1,200 0 0	
Board and staff	350 0 0	
Repairs	100 0 0	1,650 0 0
Estimated net profits		£2,065 0 0
Debenture Interest—£8000, at 6 per cent.	£480 0 0	
Dividend—£8000, at 10 per cent.	800 0 0	
Sinking fund for repayment of debentures and capital	250 0 0	£1,530 0 0
Margin		£535 0 0

It is obvious that the figures, if correctly estimated, will allow of a dividend in the early years of the Company's existence of 12½ per cent. per annum, and the operation of the sinking fund as it accumulates, and is available for repayment of the debentures, will give a further margin of profit to the shareholders.

It is confidently expected that the Swimming Bath, so conveniently and centrally situated, will supply a long-felt want. The swimming basin will be lined and floored with glazed white tiles or marble, and the bath generally will be made as attractive as possible. The laundry operations will be conducted on the top floor, and the roofs utilised as drying grounds.

The swimming and other baths, two of the shops, and the whole of the Elizabeth-street offices are already applied for by men who the Directors believe will make first-class tenants. The building is so centrally situated that its value must increase as the city itself grows larger.

Should the shares not be taken up to the extent of 12,000 in number, the subscriptions will be returned in full.

Application must be made on the annexed form, to the Brokers, Messrs. J. Mullens and Son, 92, Pitt-street, accompanied by cheque for application money of 2s 6d per share.

The list will be closed as soon as the shares required are applied for. Already 9000 shares have been applied for.

Forms of application can be obtained from the Brokers, Messrs. J. MULLENS and SON, 92, Pitt-street.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

To the Directors of the CENTENNIAL-CHAMBERS COMPANY, Limited.

Gentlemen,—
I beg to request you to allot me..........Shares in the above-named Company, for which I forward you the sum of £..........; and I hereby agree to accept same or any less number that may be allotted to me, and pay the amounts, as provided by the said Prospectus; and I authorise you to register me as the holder of said Shares.

Name in full ....
Postal Address ....
Occupation (if any) ....
Usual Signature ....

Dated this..........day of..........188 .

To Messrs. J. MULLENS and SON, 92, Pitt-street, Sydney.

THE AUSTRALIAN LOAN AND BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE: CORNER of MARKET and YORK STREETS, SYDNEY.

Incorporated June, 1886.

CAPITAL, £100,000 STERLING.

RESERVE, £21,661 4s STERLING.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS—
John Hurley, Esq., M.L.A. | John Vann, Esq.
J. F. Martin, Esq. | J. H. Nathan, Esq.
C. S. Gillett, Esq. | John Scott, Esq.
Arnold Mathey, Esq.

The Company transact all usual Banking Business.

Current accounts opened, Bills Discounted, and Advances made upon all kinds of Commercial Securities.

OVERDRAFTS GRANTED AGAINST DEPOSITS OF DEEDS.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED and INTEREST ALLOWED.

At Call, 4½ per cent.
3 Months, 6 per cent.
6 Months, 7 per cent.
12 Months, 8 per cent.

With BONUS ADDITIONS to DEPOSITS of SIX and TWELVE MONTHS.

Depositors can arrange to withdraw the whole or portion of their deposits without notice, and will be allowed current interest for the period of deposit.

By order of the Board of Directors, E. M'NAMARA, Secretary.

THE COLONIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited.

OFFICES: 105, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

DIRECTORS IN NEW SOUTH WALES:
The Hon. J. F. BURNS, M.L.A., Chairman.
JOHN R. STREET, Esq., M.L.A.
The Hon. Sir ROBERT WISDOM, K.C.M.G., M.L.C.
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Annual Income exceeds ... £250,000.
Accumulated Funds exceed ... £700,000.
New Business for the last year exceeded £130,000.

The fullest information will be furnished upon application to the Resident Secretary, 105, Pitt-street.

SYDNEY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Capital, £250,000. Subscribed, £100,000.

DIRECTORS: Robert Butcher, Esq., J.P., Chairman.
Patrick Ryan Larkin, Esq. | William Hughes, Esq., J.P.
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DAMAGE by LIGHTNING and GAS EXPLOSION COVERED.

Fire risks taken at lowest current rates.

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E. J. RUBIE, Managing Director.

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CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS.

Subscribed Capital ... £800,000
Paid-up Capital ... £400,000
Reserve Fund ... £50,000

DEPOSITS RECEIVED on INTEREST at current rates, for 3, 6, and 12 months.

All usual Banking business transacted.

EBENEZER MACDONALD, Manager.

GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE ASSOCIATION COMPANY OF LONDON. Established 1821.

Sydney Office, Bond-street-chambers, Bond-street.

Subscribed Capital ... £2,000,000
Paid-up Capital ... 1,000,000
Invested Funds ... 3,900,000
Annual Income ... 500,000

S. MACDONNELL, Agent.

THE UNION MORTGAGE and AGENCY COMPANY OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

With which are incorporated WM. SLOANE and CO., and JAS. TURNER and SON.

LIBERAL ADVANCES MADE on WOOL and OTHER PRODUCE consigned to them for Sale in the Colonies or London.

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Offices at MELBOURNE, SYDNEY, BRISBANE, and ROCKHAMPTON.

Public Notices.

THE BULLI DISASTER RELIEF FUND.

Details of North Shore Committee's Second Instalment of £40 19s.

A. Solomon	£1 1 0	J. Wyatt	£2 2 0
D. Solomon	1 1 0	G. V. James	1 1 0
C. Solomon	1 1 0	Lily of St. Leonards Lodge, G. U. O. O.	12 2 6
Miss Solomon	1 1 0	F. Smith	1 0 0
Miss H. Solomon	1 1 0	F. Lund	1 1 0
Manchester Unity Good Intent Lodge	2 2 0	M. M'Mahon	1 1 0
W. Dind	1 1 0	W. G. Willington	1 1 0
J. Barnett	1 1 0	M. Bell	1 1 0
John Knox Lodge No. 22, St. Leonards Protestant Alliance Friendly Society	10 10 0	A. P. Stevens	1 1 0
		R. Binder	1 1 0
		Jno. Stevens	1 1 0
		Sums under £1	3 7 6

THIRD INSTALMENT.

David Wilson	£5 0 0	A. Shadler	£3 3 0
Mrs. D. Wilson	5 0 0		

Total received—First Instalment	£134 18 10	
Second ditto	46 19 0	
Third ditto	13 3 0	
		£195 0 10
Payments—Advertising, Printing &c.	£4 17 0	
Remittances to Central Committee	190 3 10	
		£195 0 10

G. T. CLARKE, Hon. Treasurer.
W. P. CULLEN, Hon. Secretary.

SYDNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEW GUINEA EXPLORATION FUND, to assist the Expedition under Mr. THEODORE BEVAN, F.R.G.S.

Messrs. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., £10; Gibbs, Bright, and Co., £10; Hon. E. Vickery, £5; Harbottle, Alsop, and Co., £2 2s; R. T. Remington, £2 2s; Garrick and Co., £2 2s; W. H. Chard, £1 1s; Hayde, Todman, and Co., £2 2s; Wallach Bros., £2 2s; B. B. Nicoll, £2 2s; E. Prosser, £2 2s; E. Leichtner, £1 1s; W. C. Watt, £2 2s; F. H. Trouton, £1 1s; Jas. Walker, £1 1s; W. E. Smith, £2 2s; Captain Jas. Banks, £1 1s; W. Auerbach, £1 1s; J. R. Love and Co., £2 2s; Jas. Moir and Co., £1 1s; H. P. Tidswell, £2 2s; Dugald Thomson, £2 2s; Staunton Spain, £1 1s; A. D. Nelson, £2 2s; R. J. King, £3 3s; W. H. Flemming, £1 1s; W. Pitt Brown, £1 1s; M. Metcalfe and Co., £2 2s; Prince, Ogg, and Co., £2 2s.

In view of the benefits likely to accrue to the commerce of Sydney from the opening up of a trade with New Guinea, the commercial community are confidently appealed to to contribute to the fund to assist the explorations under the leadership of Mr. Theodore Bevan, F.R.G.S. As it is essential that the expedition shall start during the current month, immediate subscriptions are solicited, to be forwarded to Mr. H. C. Mitchell, Secretary Sydney Chamber of Commerce, Exchange.

S. A. JOSEPH, Chairman.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

In Insolvency.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS CURRENT, with Plans of Distribution, in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the Office of Insolvency, Phillip-street, Sydney, for the inspection of all persons interested; and notice is hereby given that such accounts and plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of September, 1887:—

GEORGE JAMES CLARKE, of Goulburn (No. 18,620), third plan, showing a dividend of 4s 3½d in the £ to two creditors proved since second plan of distribution.

SAMUEL THOMPSON, of Pitt-street, Sydney, Mercantile Agent (No. 21,351), dividend of 4s 7 3-16d in the £ on proved concurrent debts.

THOMAS JOHN CHAPMAN, of George-street, Sydney, Oil and Colour Merchant (No. 21,747), dividend of 3s 6d 9-16d in the £ on proved concurrent debts and preferent claims in full.

ALFRED MARK CARTER, of Pitt-street, Sydney, Picture-frame Maker (No. 21,951), dividend of 10 9-16d in the £ on proved concurrent debts and preferent claims in full.

EDWD. M. STEPHEN, Official Assignee, 73, Elizabeth-street.

Sydney, 1st September, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

IN THE WILL of DAVID ROBERTSON GALE, late of St. St. Leonards, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862.—Notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debts or claims upon the estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died on or about the twenty-third day of April, 1887, are hereby required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned, under cover, to the executor, on or before the twenty-fourth day of September, 1887, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which he shall then have notice. And he will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this nineteenth day of August, A.D. 1887.

JOHN DAWSON and SON, Proctors for the said Executor, 98, Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND DISTRICT.

In the matter of The Companies Act, 1882, and in the matter of THE ACCIDENT INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF NEW ZEALAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by an order of this Honorable Court made at Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, in the colony of New Zealand, on the fifth day of August instant, it was ordered that the fifth day of October, 1887, should be fixed as the date on or within which Creditors of the abovenamed Association should prove their Debts or Claims, or be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before the proof of such debts or claims. And notice is hereby further given that all Creditors of the abovenamed Association are accordingly hereby required to prove their Debts or Claims by sending full particulars thereof, duly verified by statutory declaration, to Messieurs EDWARD SMITH and GEORGE ESTHER, the Liquidators of the said Association, addressed to the Offices of Messrs. FRASER and STILLING, Rattray-street, Dunedin, on or before the said fifth day of October, 1887; and that in default of any creditors so doing they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before their said debts or claims are proved.

Dated at Dunedin aforesaid this sixth day of August, 1887.

FRASER and STILLING, Solicitors for the abovenamed Liquidators.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Will of THOMAS HARWOOD NUTT, late of Silverton, in the colony of New South Wales, Mine Owner, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the account of the sole executor of the will of the abovenamed deceased has this day been filed in the office of the Prothonotary, No. 81, Phillip-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said estate or being otherwise interested therein, are requested to come in before me at my office, No. 81, Phillip-street, Sydney aforesaid, on or before MONDAY, the twelfth day of September next, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the forenoon and inspect the said account, and if they think fit object thereto, and in the event of no exception being taken within the time above mentioned, the said account will be duly examined and proceeded with, according to law.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of August A.D., 1887.

T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Ecclesiastical Clerk.

Rossbach and Son, Proctors for the said Executor, 30, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

In Insolvency.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

An Amended ACCOUNT with amended Plan of Distribution in the undermentioned Estate, showing Dividend as specified, is now filed in the Office of the Registrar in Insolvency, Phillip-street, Sydney; and the same will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 15th September proximo, at 11 a.m., if not previously objected to:—

JOHN FERDINAND GUNSLER, of Pitt-street, Sydney, trading as Gunsler and Company, caterers (No. 21607), an amended account with amended plan of distribution showing a dividend of 11 17-20d (eleven pence and seventeen-twentieths of a penny) per £ on all proved concurrent debts.

LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.

25, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street, Sydney, 29th August, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Will of CHARLES WARMISHAM, late of Ridge-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Bookmaker, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in particulars thereof to the undersigned, under cover to the executor, on or before the 30th day of September next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which he shall then have notice; and he will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 22nd day of August, A.D. 1887.

JONES and JONES, Proctors for the Executor, 77, Pitt-street, Sydney.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT to the Lunacy Act of 1878, the creditors of THOMAS MEAGHER, formerly of Merriwa, but now for some years past residing at the Hospital for the Insane, Gladesville, bachelor, a person of unsound mind, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before the Master in Lunacy, at his office, Supreme Court, King-street, or in default thereof, they will be excluded the benefit of the inquiry now pending relative thereto.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1887.

H. F. BARTON, Master in Lunacy.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of P. W. MORONEY, of Gunnedah.

All persons having CLAIMS against the above Estate are requested to forward particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before THURSDAY next, the 8th instant, otherwise they will be excluded from participating in the distribution of the Estate.

STARKEY and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, 32A, York-street.

Sydney, 2nd September, 1887.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of JAMES GRASSICK, Draper, &c., Orange.

It is requested that all persons having CLAIMS against the above estate will render particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 7th September; otherwise they will be excluded from participating in the distribution of the estate.

STARKEY and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, 32A, York-street.

Sydney, August 31, 1887.

IN THE ESTATE of J. CLYNICK, of Wolumla.

It is requested that all persons having CLAIMS against the above estate will render particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before WEDNESDAY, the 7th September; otherwise they will be excluded from participating in the distribution of the estate.

STARKEY and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, 32A, York-street.

Sydney, August 31, 1887.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF GEORGE SCHUMACK, of Mitchell.

All persons having CLAIMS against the above Estate are requested to forward particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before WEDNESDAY next, the 7th instant, otherwise they will be excluded from participating in the distribution of the Estate.

STARKEY and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, 32A, York-street.

Sydney, 2nd September, 1887.

IN THE ESTATE OF THOMAS M'INERNEY, late of Pyrmont Bridge-road, Forest Lodge, Licensed Victualler, deceased.—Notice to Creditors.—A MEETING of the Creditors of the above Estate, will be held at the offices of Messrs. ABBOTT and ALLEN, Solicitors for Executors, Wentworth-court, on MONDAY, the 5th day of September instant, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

(Signed) JAMES TOOHEY, HENRY CHAPMAN, JOHN P. ARTHUR.

Sydney, September 1, 1887.

NOTICE.

Master in Lunacy's Office, Supreme Court, King-street, September 1, 1887.

On MONDAY next, the 5th instant, the Offices of the Master in Lunacy will be REMOVED temporarily to premises at the corner of Young and Bridge streets, to which address all communications connected with the Department are to be forwarded.

By order. HENRY EDWARDS, for Master in Lunacy.

NOTICE.

In consequence of the Removal of the LUNACY OFFICES from the Supreme Court Buildings, the Offices will be CLOSED TO-DAY.

By order. HENRY EDWARDS, for Master in Lunacy.

September 3, 1887.

THE BISHOP'S TRIBUTE FUND.

The Committee of the Diocesan movement for collecting a tribute of respect to the Bishop of Newcastle intimate that it has been determined to KEEP THE LISTS OPEN FOR A MONTH from the subjoined date, and trust those intending to subscribe will SEND, in THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS within the PERIOD NAMED.

E. P. CAPPER, Hon. Secretary.
JOHN ROURKE, Hon. Treasurer.

West Maitland, August 20, 1887.

TESTIMONIAL TO R. A. NORRIS, Esq. (LATE MANAGER A. J. S. BANK, HAYMARKET).

Friends desirous of ASSISTING in the movement may forward Subscriptions to the Honorary Treasurers, Messrs. P. R. LARKIN and MICK SIMMONS, Prince of Wales Hotel, George and Gipps streets, Haymarket.

F. J. CAHILL, Hon. Sec.

TO INVENTORS, MECHANICIANS, AND OTHERS.

Owners of MACHINES recently invented in New South Wales are invited to supply MODELS of the same, for the approval of the Commission, and with a view to their display at the Centennial International Exhibition.

W. WILKINS, Secretary.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

LIBRARY NOTICE.

IN ORDER TO FACILITATE THE WORK of compiling the NEW CATALOGUE, Members are particularly requested to RETURN all BOOKS that have been in issue from the Library more than SEVEN DAYS.

HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

August 26, 1887.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, and LAND COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

On and after 1st September, 1887, the business of this Company will be conducted in their new Offices, No. 24, Hunter-street, Sydney.

A. R. KERR, Acting Manager.

LAND COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

A DIVIDEND for the past half-year, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, is now payable at the Company's Office, 278, Pitt-street, to all Shareholders on the Sydney Register.

G. BAKER WALKER, General Manager.

THE SYDNEY BANKS hereby offer a REWARD of £50 for information that may lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons Forging any of their Bank Notes.

Sydney, 11th January, 1887.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.

ESTABLISHED 1872.

POLICYHOLDERS will please take notice that the BONUS of 20 per cent. halved between them and the shareholders for the FOURTEENTH YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1887, is payable as their respective policies expire.

This is the first Fire Insurance Society established in Sydney on the MUTUAL PRINCIPLE giving policyholders back part of their premiums as a CASH BONUS out of profits every year; and BONUSES of 20 per cent. have been declared ANNUALLY since 1873.

WALTER CHURCH, Manager.

Head Office—Corner of King and Pitt streets, Sydney.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY, 73, ELIZABETH-STREET NORTH.

The Offices of the above Society will be OPEN THIS (SATURDAY) NIGHT, for the Receipt of Deposits only.

E. J. RUBIE, Manager.

A GOING CONCERN.

TEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM GUARANTEED to those taking up shares in TATE BROS.' AGENCY and TRADING COMPANY, Limited, 158, Sussex-street, Sydney.

REMEMBER, THIS IS NOT a catchpenny affair (with an immense prospective value) but a business established on a FIRM AND SOLID BASIS, after seventeen years' careful and assiduous attention, and is not affected by union strikes, mining and land panics.

SUCCESS IS ALREADY ACHIEVED, and the only object in placing these Shares on the market is for the further extension of the business.

The first issue of shares will POSITIVELY CLOSE on the 30th September instant, or earlier should the whole number be applied for previous to that date.

See advertisement other column this paper.

MADAME VAILLINT (of Madame Vaillint and Elise, of Melbourne) has arrived in Sydney, and has the honour to inform the ladies who wish to see her that she will be at their disposal between 11 and 5 o'clock from the date 2nd of September till 10th instant, at the address 46, and 48, Margaret-street, Wynyard-square.

NOTICE.—It having come to my knowledge that many persons are under the belief that I am the Mr. LEWIS LEVY who was the subject of the recent proceedings before the Supreme Court, I beg to state such is NOT the case.

DAVID L. LEVY (firm Levy and Hemsley).

98, Pitt-street, Sydney, August 30, 1887.

NOTICE.

We have this day purchased the Tailoring Business lately carried on by Mr. D. C. Bell, 118, King-street.

R. S. ARMSTRONG and CO.

All outstanding accounts owing to D. C. Bell, and all accounts owing by him, to be forwarded to D. C. BELL, 22, Bridge-street.

I, JOHN MEADER, will not be answerable for any Debts my Wife may contract after this date, she having left her home without just cause. JOHN MEADER (his mark). Witness—William Blatchford. August 30, 1887.

A SAVING OF £25 A-YEAR.—LARGE ADDITIONAL PREMISES.—MARSHALL BROTHERS have opened a large Central City Drug Emporium in George-st., where prescriptions are dispensed at reform prices. Drugs, Patent Medicines, &c., are sold at wholesale prices. MARSHALL BROTHERS, Pharmaceutical Chemists, 410, George-st., 2 doors from King-st. Arcade; and at 186, Market-st.; also Reform Dentistry Establishment, 153, Elizabeth-st., Sydney. N.B.—Their popular speciality, Marshall's Tonic Nervine, is still carefully prepared from the choicest drugs procurable on the London market.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

TO DRAPERS, CLOTHIERS, CHEMISTS, GROCERS, and OTHERS.

The undersigned is having erected at the ENMORE TRAM TERMINUS, three very commodious SHOPS and DWELLINGS, most elaborately furnished throughout, and is prepared to entertain offers from persons to RENT same or Lease.

For further particulars apply to W. F. THIRGOOD, Equitable-chambers, Pitt and Park streets.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—The National Loan Bank and Discount Company, 187, Castlereagh-street, near Mercantile Building Society, is now open for business at very low rates of interest. A. GOLDBERG, Manager.

N. S. W. MINING and STOCK EXCHANGE, 72, Pitt-street.—Members of the above Exchange are requested to meet at 3 p.m. each day, instead of 12 o'clock as heretofore, for the transaction of business. F. F. Cox, secretary.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

CANDIDATES for the WATT EXHIBITION, which will be awarded in connection with the forthcoming Public Examinations, are required to make application not later than the first day of Examination—September 12.

H. E. BARFF, Registrar.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

For absolute SALE in consequence of my early departure for Europe, the LEASE of PREMISES, Fixtures and Fittings, in the very heart of Hunter-street, Newcastle, and right facing Capper Bros.', and occupied by me as Wholesale and Retail Clothier, Draper, and Auctioneer. Splendid living accommodation upstairs, and premises fitted up second to none in Australia. With or without STOCK. Rent only £5 per week. Every information given. This is a chance rarely met with, as a good cash business is done. Principals only. Apply N. HERMAN, 88, Botany-st., Moore Pk., or premises, Flemming's-buildings, Hunter-st., N'castle.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE AND OIL COMPANY, Limited, 102, Clarence-street.

This Company is now in a position to give prompt delivery of orders for their Comet Oil.

NOTICE.

Whereas we have reason to believe that Granulated Beet, and other SUGARS are being re-packed and delivered in bags bearing our registered brand. Notice is hereby given that a reward of £50 will be paid for information leading to the conviction of any person committing this fraud, which can be readily detected by analysis of the sugars.

EDW. W. KNOX, General Manager, Colonial Sugar Refining Company, Limited.

12th August, 1887.

LEGAL.—Mr. H. S. HARDEN, Solicitor, has commenced the practice of his profession at 279, George-st.

DR. CHAMBERS will be ABSENT from his Rooms, No. 1, Lyons-terrace, until SEPTEMBER 10.

SIGNOR STEFFANI will Instruct at 337, Pitt-street, corner Bathurst-street, from 1st October.

GASOLENE.

The NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE and OIL COMPANY are now selling GASOLENE at the following rates, viz.:—
No. 1 Gasolene, spec. gravity, 650., 2s 6d per gallon, naked.
No. 2 Gasolene, spec. gravity, 675., 1s 9d ditto, in packages.

These low rates are consequent upon the removal of works.

For further particulars, Apply Head Office, 102, CLARENCE-STREET, SYDNEY.

A REWARD OF £1 will be paid for any Reel of MACHINE COTTON, 400 yards, of a standard make, which can compete successfully in strength and price with BROOK'S NEW MACHINE COTTON, 400 Yards.

Apply BROOK'S, 89, Clarence-street, Sydney.

JAMES MOIR AND CO., Stock, Station, and General Commission Agents, 58, Margaret-street, Sydney.

Liberal Advances made on STATIONS and STOCK; also, on WOOL, TALLOW, HIDES, and COLONIAL PRODUCE consigned to them for sale or shipment.

DIBBS'S BONDED and FREE STORES, DIBBS'S WHARF.

STORAGE AT CURRENT RATES.

JOHN C. DIBBS, Manager.

WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.

ADVANCES MADE on STATIONS and STOCK, also on WOOL and OTHER PRODUCE for Sale in Sydney, or for Shipment to London.

ALL STATION REQUISITES SUPPLIED.

DALGETY and COMPANY, Limited, 5, Bent-street, Sydney, and Watt-street, Newcastle; and at London, Melbourne, Geelong, Dunedin, and Christchurch.

MEETINGS of Companies, Creditors, &c., may be held in the Large Room of the MERCANTILE MUTUAL CHAMBERS, 120, Pitt-street, opposite General Post Office.

Every convenience provided, charges moderate.

Apply KELSO KING, Secretary, Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company, Limited.

MORT'S WOOL WAREHOUSES, Sydney.

LIBERAL ADVANCES made on WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, WHEAT, TIN ORE, and other Produce, for SALE or SHIPMENT.

MORT and CO., Limited, Wool Warehouses, Circular Quay and Darling Harbour, Sydney.

MILLWALL DOCK WOOL WAREHOUSES, LONDON.

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These warehouses are built expressly for the storage and showing of wool, having show floors 300 feet by 60 feet, with north light.

They have water frontage for the discharge of wool direct from the import ship, and are surrounded with rails communicating with all the principal railway lines in the Kingdom.

All UNNECESSARY CARTAGE and SHIFTING of the BALES ARE THUS AVOIDED.

Reference in Sydney, JOHN ALGER, Alger's Wharf.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, Wool and Produce Brokers, FAT STOCK SALESMEN, Stock and Station Agents, Grain and Metal Brokers.

OFFICE and STORES—Circular Quay, Sydney.

Liberal advances, if required, made on all Produce or Stock consigned to us.

CITY COAL COMPANY.

Branches at Engine-street, Haymarket; Newtown; Marrickville; Petersham; Ashfield; Burwood; Parramatta.

Best MOUNTAIN COAL, 13s 6d per ton at the depots.
Best NEWCASTLE COAL, 21s per ton at the depots.
FIREWOOD, BREEZE, &c., at lowest rates.

G. M. SMYTH, Manager.

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Indents should be accompanied by cash remittances or bank letters of credit, to ensure full trade discounts. Account sales of produce under consignment rendered promptly, and net proceeds invested to order, every attention being devoted to the eligible shipment and insurance of all goods passing through their hands.

S. S. LLOYD and CO., No. 3, George-yard, Lombard-street, London.

A. A. DEBNEY AND CO., successors to HOBSON and WHITING, GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS, &c., 13, Hunter-street, Sydney.

FOR THE WARM WEATHER.

White Cane Bamboo Blinds, in every size, from
Green Japanese Blinds, with cords and pulleys complete, from 3s
Cane Balcony Lounges, in various shapes, 11s 6d, 16s 6d, £1 2s 6d
Cane Verandah Chairs, 10s 6d, 11s 6d, 17s 6d
Triumph Folding Chairs, with hood and leg-rest, 18s 6d
Triumph Folding Chairs, without leg-rest, from 8s
Also Garden Seats, Garden Tables and Chairs
Carpet-seat Folding Chairs
Camp Chairs, &c., of every description.

TO THE TRAVELLING PUBLIC.

We have THIS DAY opened a fresh lot of Saratoga, Scarborough, and Travelling TRUNKS, which we are offering at exceptional prices.

We also have a large stock of Camphor-wood and American BOXES, PORTMANTEAUS, &c.

For whatever you require do not fail to pay us a visit.

CAMPBELL BROTHERS, Royal Furnishing Arcade, 426, George-street.

Miscellaneous.

CASH AT ONCE to those who object to hold an auction sale for Furniture. Newtown Markets.

CASH AT ONCE for things you want to Sell—Drapery, groceries, clothing, jewellery, fancy goods, carpets, houses of furniture, books, blankets, boots, fowls, and tools. Apply Office, Newtown Markets.

CONSIGNMENTS well managed for Auction Sale. Cash at once. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, handsome Girandole, best plateglass, candelabra, decorative frame, only £3. Newtown Markets.

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FOR SALE, double 4-post BEDSTEADS, new and ornamented, 17s 6d. Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, CHEST of DRAWERS, Tables, Safes, Sideboards; cheapest anywhere. Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, BEDDING, cheapest anywhere; come and see the bargains. Furnishing Arcade, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, BRUSSELS CARPET, new, 14 x 16, £5 10s. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, Turner's BENCH, 2 screws, draw, &c., splendid thing, £2. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, a two-door WARDROBE, for young lady's room, on castors, 17s 6d. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, very large Round TABLE, cedar, will seat about 20, 30s. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, Boot Shop Centre SEAT, £2, very lucky one, lots of money taken from it. Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, intelligent Black BOY, by auction, THIS DAY. Newtown Markets Auction Room.

FOR SALE, large Ice CHEST, £3 10s. Office—Newtown Markets, Newtown.

MASTIFF DOG for SALE, 9 months, magnificent animal. J. Sullivan, umbrella maker, 341, George-st.

WORK YOUR INCUBATORS.—Go to NEAVES for Fancy and Barndoor Fowls' EGGS—500 per week. Come and see his poultry farm and the fowls; the eggs are from NEAVES'S, Markets.

SPLENDID Half-hoop 5 large stones, Diamond RING, pawned £11, ticket £1. In Need, Park-street P. O.

CANARIES.—For SALE, a few good cock birds, cheap. W. Beverley, 18, Edward-street, Eveleigh.

LIVER TELESCOPES, complete, with Astronomical Eyepiece, Sling, and Case, very powerful, showing objects 6 miles distinctly, with astronomical glass, will show Lunar Mts., Spots on the Sun, &c. Only 21s. Spectacles, from 1s; Pebbles, 5s; Coloured Specs, 2s 6d. Repairs done. W. E. TOOGE, Optician, &c., 418, George-street, near Royal Hotel.

FOR SALE, 12-day English Cabinet Hall CLOCK, mahogany case, 8ft. high, silver dial. 15, Burton-street.

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WATER FRONTAGES £30, ACRE BLOCKS; adjoining BLOCKS, £13 10s ACRE.

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ENGLISH GOSSIP.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 22.

The season is dying hard. Up to the last we are promised a succession of gaieties and fashionable functions. There is a little outcry in serious and political society against Mr. Labouchere for giving a stage play in his grounds at Pope's Villa on Sunday. The event takes place the day after to-morrow. A large aristocratic gathering is invited, and Bohemia will be strongly represented. It is to be an open-air performance; the play, Shakspeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream;" the principal performers, Mr. Sala (as Bottom), and Miss Kate Vaughan, Miss Fortescue, and Miss Dorothy Dene in the leading ladies' parts. Madame Lanner, of the Opera, will lend the aid of her dancing academy and ballet for the fairy spectacle, and there is also to be a proper accompaniment of music. Much interest is said to be felt in Mr. Sala's impersonation of "Bottom the Weaver," which he has been rehearsing with Mr. Gilbert Farquhar for some weeks past. Mr. Labouchere, as you know, lives during the summer at Pope's Villa, which is his private property. He has also a house in town, and at both establishments he is a hospitable host. Some of his Northampton constituents are likely to object to his Sunday theatricals, but "Labby" (as he is familiarly called) is not likely to pay any attention to them, and the protestants in a constituency that returns Mr. Bradlaugh and Mr. Labouchere are not—will not—likely be numerous in a defence of the decencies of the Sabbath. Quite recently a strong committee of Mr. Labouchere's party telegraphed him their thanks for his action on some particular constitutional question in Parliament. He replied somewhat as follows:—"Thanks ——; look after your boots and I will take care of the Constitution." The staple trade of Northampton is boot and shoe making.

One of the most brilliant affairs of the season was the ball given by Lord and Lady Zetland at their town mansion in Arlington-place on Monday night. A feature of the dressing on the occasion was the wonderful amount of jewellery worn by the ladies. For a number of years it has not been fashionable to wear costly jewels except on great State occasions, and English ladies were wont to smile at their American sisters for decorating themselves in pearls and diamonds before dinner. But all this has changed. The Princess of Wales has set the fashion of wearing jewellery all through the day, riding, driving, walking, and in the Row. It is said she has been actuated by a desire to improve trade in this direction. If this be so she has undoubtedly done a great deal of good in a very interesting department of industrial art. Ladies now wear costly gems in their bonnets, and as pins of all kinds.

Last night the Prince and Princess of Wales gave their last ball of the season at Marlborough House. Most of the guests are leaving to-day for the scene of the Jubilee naval review. The weather continues to be exceptionally fine and lovely, and under a blue sky the marine demonstration off the Isle of Wight will be something wonderfully imposing. There have been two trifling accidents with ironclads taking up their quarters for the occasion, and as much as possible has been made of them. The way some journals chronicle these things might make one think for a moment that they were enemies of the country ready to rejoice over her disasters. But this is, of course, a mistake, and it is as well perhaps that the most trifling incident of want of skill or foresight on the part of the service should be reported. We are very jealous of the efficiency of the navy.

Wimbledon has this year literally been a delightful canvas city. Hardly a shower, nothing more, at all events, has fallen since the marksmen went into camp. I was talking to a veteran of the English Eight Club yesterday. He informed me that the shooting was never better all round. "The old fellows," he said, "get knocked out every year; not that they shoot worse, but that the younger men shoot a little better. The truth is," he went on, "the standard gets higher and higher; men give more time to the work, train for it, diet for it, in fact." Wandering around the camp, I thought the competitors,—local, colonial, and Indian,—were a remarkably capable lot of fellows, and of admirable physique. One night this week the Prince of Wales dined in camp, and yesterday there was one of the most brilliant crowd of visitors which has as yet honoured the meeting. Lord and Lady Wantage received at "The Cottage" the Princess Mary Adelaide, the Duke of Teck, Prince Francis and Princess Victoria of Teck; and among the general company were the Duke of Abercorn; the Earls of Cork, Waldegrave, Brownlow, and Dundonald; the Ladies Huntingtower, Balfour, Colville, Gordon; and quite a bevy of leaders of society and fashion. The chief event of the day was the contest for the Elcho shield, the contestants being three companies of picked marksmen of England, Ireland, and Scotland. The shooting was superb, England winning by 99 points in advance of Ireland's winning score of last year. The figures were:—England, 1570; Scotland, 1559; Ireland, 1556. The ranges were 800, 900, and 1000 yards. Last year the Irish team won with a score of 1471. The report that the meeting will take place on other ground next year in consequence of its interference with certain territorial privileges of the Duke of Cambridge is contradicted. His Grace has been one of the most constant visitors on the ground, and it is hoped he feels scandalised at the statements made to the effect that he could possibly take any but a patriotic interest in the welfare of historic Wimbledon.

The attention which "Buffalo Bill" has received at the hands of society has quite offended the "high-toned" Americans in London. They say he is only a showman, as Barnum is, and that he is not received by American society. Nobody ever supposed that he was, but he has touched the sporting proclivities of English people, he is understood to be an officer of the American army, he has a famous record as a scout, is a fine-looking fellow, and a curiosity; and that is good enough for lionship during a London season. It is curious, however, to see the aristocratic dames of England condescending to this distinguished savage of the plains. He may well pose as he does, since Vanity Fair literally sits at his feet and listens to his prairie romances, and even goes so far as to take seats in the Deadwood coach while it is attacked by the Indians and duly rescued by Buffalo Bill and his cowboys. It is the Wild West show that has "made" the American exhibition, and its financial success is very great. A club has been formed, under the title of "The Welcome," and on Wednesday it gave a reception. Mr. Charles Wyndham, as chairman of the committee, did the honours of the occasion. The guests included many interesting and well-known people, Lord Rothschild, Miss Braddon, Mrs. Jeune, Madame Minnie Hauk, Colonel Cody (Buffalo Bill), Mr. Wilder, the American reciter, Mrs. Labouchere, Dr. Morrell and Mrs. Mackenzie, Dr. Ernest Hart, Lady Diana Huddleston, and many others. The ladies were in light summer costume. The new clubhouse is an iron building with some architectural pretentions, and is daintily furnished. There were also refreshment tents, one of the Royal bands played at intervals, and the party was kept together until quite late, because some people said the Prince of Wales was expected. It is said, by the way, that serious friction has been caused between the contracting parties, Cody and Whitley (the chief managers of the Exhibition), and that it is on the cards "The Wild West" may seek "fresh woods and pastures new," in which case the American Exhibition will not prove very attractive, seeing that it is little better than an ordinary commercial bazaar. The one great event daily is Buffalo Bill's show, which says a good deal for the Wild West, but very little for the exhibition proper.

Mr. Arrowsmith, the original publisher of "Called Back," and other of poor Conway's books, has in hand several notable new volumes for the autumn. Max O'Rell's next work will be published by Arrowsmith, who has also in hand a new "six-shilling fiction," by Grant Allen, a novel by Miss Amelia B. Edwards, and a new shilling story by Joseph Hatton, the last-mentioned being called "The Park-lane Mystery," a strange psychological romance, in which the metempsychosis and other occult notions are said to form a curious underplot of London life and Oriental fancy. None of these works are as yet announced, but I understand Mr. Arrowsmith is very proud of his new literary recruits. There seems to be a good deal of competition in the way of literary "syndicating" and publishing just now. Mr. Tillotson is issuing shilling novels in book form, and Sir William Leng, the proprietor of the *Sheffield Daily Telegraph*, is competing with Tillotson as a "purveyor of fiction," having, as a beginning, engaged the pen of Miss Braddon for three years. Meanwhile, Mr. Tillotson has added Rider Haggard, William Black, and other well-known writers to his list.

Within 10 minutes of the curtain going down on the last night prior to Mr. Irving's provincial and American tour, the stage was cleared and converted into a bouffet for the refreshment of about 300 guests, who assembled to say "Good bye" to the host and to Miss Ellen Terry. Sir Thomas and Lady Hardman, Mr. Phelps, the American Minister, Mr. Dana, of the *New York Sun*, Miss Braddon and her husband Mr. Maxwell, Mr. J. L. Toole, Miss Kate Terry (Mrs. Lewis) Mr. Pollock, of the *Saturday Review*, Mr. Knowles, of the *Nineteenth Century*, Miss Minnie Hauk, of her Majesty's Theatre, and her husband the Chevalier Wartegg, Lord and Lady Londesborough, Mr. Lippincott (Grace Greenwood) of New York, Mrs. Cashel-Hoey, Mrs. Stirling, and a crowd of other representative people and friends were present. Miss Terry's room was filled with floral gifts, and Mr. Irving received many tributes of wreaths. Among the presents sent round as parting souvenirs for Ellen Terry were a lovely study of angels from Mr. Burne Jones, and an exquisite volume of poems from Miss Alma Tadema. Prior to all this the company had performed the "Merchant of Venice," and Mr. Irving had made a characteristic speech from the stage in which he had more particularly referred to the extraordinary run of "Faust." It was first played in 1885, and he believed they would be playing it in 1888. He said some articles had lately appeared in the press stating that the danger of long runs was that they might lead to madness; but in his experience as a manager he should say that short runs were much more likely to lead to madness than long ones. Mr. Irving and his company open in Edinburgh at the end of August, and go to America in October. They hope to return to the Lyceum in April of next year. In the meantime Sarah Bernhardt plays a short season at the Lyceum, followed by Miss Anderson. The "divine Sarah" is delighting large audiences with her matchless tragic impersonations. Miss Anderson will commence her season with "Winter's Tale."

Mr. Irving is to have two rivals in management. He has been fortunate in having had none all these years. No actor in the history of the stage has been so lucky in this respect. Almost the same may be said of Ellen Terry; she and Mrs. Kendall have for years been the only two recognised really great English actresses. Fortunately for both they are great in different lines of business. For a little while it was thought Mr. Wilson Barrett might rival Irving; but he had neither the ability nor the versatility of the master of the Lyceum. Mr. Barrett in his own line is an excellent actor and an excellent manager, but hitherto Irving has been head and shoulders higher than all his contemporaries. At present there is no one rising up to take his place, but there are two actors of a singular promise, who are talked of as possible rivals. One is Beerbohm Tree, the other Mr. Willard. Mr. Tree has just taken the Haymarket for a term of years, and Mr. Willard is likely shortly to go into management. Mr. Tree is backed with a large sum, and Mr. Willard has a big capitalist behind him. Both are strong actors, but Willard shows more versatility in his work than Tree. He can be both romantic and villainous, he is a character actor, and has the repose of the tragedian. Tree has more finesse in character, and more of the artistic appreciation of "make up," perhaps, than Willard, but both are admirable actors. Mr. Tree will open the Haymarket with "The Red Lamp," which he will follow with a piece by Buchanan. Mr. Rider Haggard is dramatising one of his stories for Tree. Mr. Willard has been offered a place by Mary Anderson and parts at several theatres, but he will either appear at his own theatre or join Miss Hewitt at the Olympic. Mr. Burnand's "The Doctor" is a fair success at the Globe. It has been much improved since the first night. The dramatic work was very difficult. The last act is original, and is pronounced the best of the play. Mrs. Brown Potter has disappointed the expectation of her friends, and is not setting the Thames on fire at the Gaiety. Before her somewhat inglorious season closes she is going to produce another play. I went to see her the other night, and she seemed to me to act as if she had lost heart in her work, and had no courage left to fight out the difficult task she set herself,—a task in which only Mrs. Langtry has succeeded in accomplishing,—the establishment of herself as a theatrical star before she had passed her novitiateship. Mrs. Potter is a pretty woman and a clever reciter, but she has had to learn that there is no royal road to starship in acting. Mrs. Langtry was not alone favoured by royalty; she was famous as a beauty; had been painted by the great artists; had been seen on the walls of every exhibition; had been written about, and was both famous and notorious before she went on the stage. When she did appear she surrounded herself with an excellent company, was fortunate in her selection of plays, and improved every time she appeared. Mrs. Potter may still become a popular actress if she will work and wait; but neither the Prince of Wales, nor a syndicate of Americans can make the London people go to see her if she cannot succeed in pleasing them. It is said, and I believe with truth, that Mrs. Langtry has resolved to make her home in San Francisco, and that she will seek to obtain a divorce from her husband and marry Mr. Gebhardt with whom her name has been associated in gossip for years on both sides of the Atlantic. Mrs. Langtry has been separated from her husband by a judicial or mutual agreement ever since she first visited America. She has made a large sum of money as an actress and theatrical manager, and is undoubtedly a clever and industrious woman.

Two English comedies are promised for the autumn, the first a version of "The Queen of Bohemia," which has already been played in this country, and the second entitled "Freda," by Messrs. Bossey and Blackmore. The first mentioned is called "The Vicar," and is by the author of the novel and Mr. James Albery, author of "The Two Roses." It is, I believe, only to be done at a morning performance, but it will have the benefit of being produced by Mr. Wyndham at the Criterion. Mr. Bossey is new in dramatic literature. He is well known in political circles as a journalist. The new play at the Adelphi is in rehearsal, and may be produced any day. It is the work of Messrs. Pettitt and Grundy, and is to be called "The Bells of Haslemere." Mr. Terriss and Miss Millward are of course cast for the leading parts. The theatre has been closed for some time, in order that the practical rebuilding of a portion of it might be finished for the autumn season. A new front has been added, many structural changes have been made, the pit has been enlarged, and, when the house is opened for the new play the public will find the Adelphi one of the finest theatres in Europe.

Some sensation was created last night by the report that Mr. Stanley had been shot in a fight with natives on his way to the relief of Emin Bey. This morning the dailies say that no confirmation of the news has been received, and they have every reason to cast doubt upon the report, which, however, arises at the point where Stanley was last heard from, and comes through a missionary. It would be a pathetic calamity, the death of Stanley, on this expedition. It has been generally felt that the undertaking is full of serious dangers, and I have heard pioneers predict grave troubles for Stanley and his band. Recently a young friend of mine, on his way home from the Congo, meeting Stanley and his people on their march, turned back with them as a volunteer. In a letter from him received three weeks since he reported Stanley as by no means well in health, but full of his old courage and faith in his star. There had been some sickness in the company, but all was going well, and the men of the rank and file were a fine lot of fellows; but my correspondent did not disguise from himself nor from me that there might be serious difficulties ahead in the matter of supplies, not to mention hostile natives. If Mr. Stanley accomplishes his work with anything like fair success, he will have carried out one of the biggest feats of our time.

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JUNE ON THE RIVER.

BY THE ROVING AUSTRALIAN.

We are sometimes a long while in discovering the beauty that lies close about our feet. We look far afield for the picturesque, just as some of us look far afield for duty, and miss that which lies to our hand. It has been so in regard to Englishmen and the River Thames. Until quite recently the great majority of the dwellers in London were almost entirely ignorant of what a rich possession of natural beauty they had in the river that washes their city's walls—the stream whose whole course, almost, is a slowly unfolding vista of varied loveliness, from where it rises in the little bubbling well-head in Trewsbury meadow, to where it receives the ships of the world on its broad bosom at the Nore. English people knew the Rhine by heart long before their own river was anything more than the shadow of a name to them. Anglers have known its upper reaches—its shy retreats and willow-hidden water-lanes—since the days of Isaac Walton, but to the average Londoner it has been a country undiscovered and unappreciated until within the last 10, or, at most, 20 years. Now the question—"Have you been on the river this year?" is put to you a score of times in a summer; 15 years ago you rarely or never heard such a query. Indeed, the pendulum of popular patronage has *now* swung the *other* way, the river has been taken up by society, and is being as much flattered and made use of as it was over-neglected and ignored. As fashion's trick is, it either scorns or spoils. The Thames has been discovered to possess everything requisite for summer pleasure and idleness, and for some two or three months of the year is like a river continually *en fête*. This, probably, has its drawbacks. Every year you must go farther and farther up the stream if you seek quiet, and shun like Horace, the Philistine* crowd. But few of us can afford to be too dandified in this matter, and what is good enough for our neighbours, let it serve for us. The river, too, will stand a good deal of spoiling by popularity. Its resources are manifold, and, in its higher levels at any rate, it is still a long way off being vandalised by over-familiarity.

In truth, there are few pleasanter ways of spending a few weeks of the English summer than by passing them at one of the many riverside villages between, say, Windsor and Oxford. Between these two points you can hardly go wrong, and even lower down, the Thames has innumerable amenities and charms. Here at Maidenhead is an excellent centre of vantage, neither too far from nor too near town, and quite close to one of the prettiest stretches in the whole river, that from Boulter's Lock to Cleveden. Five minutes' quick walking, or 10 minutes' slow, brings you from the town to the river banks, the old bridge, and the boat sheds.

It is Saturday afternoon, and a perfect day in late June. The sun is as warm as anyone need wish, and the rippling breeze that is wafted down stream is welcomed by the rowers. The river is alive with craft—skiffs for four, double and single sculls, punts, canoes, and dingies—while handsome little steam launches slip up and down stream with a grace rivalling that of the white swans that skim unafraid and unscathed in and out among the boats. All the skiffs and "randans" are of the lightest possible build and construction, while a Thames punt is a rather different vessel from that which is usually understood by that name. The shape is the same, but a river punt is usually a pleasure boat, a gaily painted shallop, with a bright-coloured little canopy aft—the gondola of the Thames, but thrice as lightsome and gala-like as its sombre Venetian prototype. It is propelled along the shallows, the gondolier standing in the bows with a long punt-pole, and passing from bow to stern as he pushes his vessel forward with his pole. It looks an easy order this punting, but it requires some little practice, like most other things, and many a punt pole is broken by the unpractised or the careless. Everybody, on a fine Saturday, is in river costume, the men wearing the colours of their respective clubs on their straw hats, the ladies in every variety of airy and diaphanous costume appropriate to the environment. Here and there the girls are at the oars, while their male *compagnons de voyage* hold the tiller-ropes and loll back in the cushioned seats, enjoying the very *ne plus ultra* of luxurious motion and idyllic idlesse.

The first lock beyond Maidenhead—Boulton's Lock—is quickly reached. The numerous Thames locks are, it must be admitted, somewhat of a trial of patience, but they are sometimes amusing, and as river boats are rarely in a hurry, the time question is of small importance. Nevertheless, there is generally considerable eagerness among the boats to get into the lock among the first, and especially not to be shut out altogether. The lock is a narrow, oblong, stone-walled well, from 6 to 8 feet deep, and it takes some 10 minutes, or perhaps a quarter of an hour, to pump you up *to the higher* level or let you down to the lower.

Now we are all in, and the pumping begins. It is a block of boats, many touching each other. Being next the wall, we grapple on with our boathook to steady ourselves. People who know each other talk across from their respective boats, and discuss the approaching Henley regatta, or the local tennis tournament. Presently the lock-keeper comes round and collects our threepences (the tariff of transit) in a little netted pocket at the end of a pole. And now we are level with the river again, the lock-gates swing slowly open, the boats slip through, and we are in the stream once more.

There are five in our boat—the four who were once introduced to the readers of this journal while on a Swiss tour—Queenie, Joan of Arc, the poet, and the parson, together with the present chronicler. The peddler is not with us, he is far away in America engaged in floating a joint-stock company for tinning buffalo venison for the English market. No one of the quartette has much changed since we saw them last. Queenie is prettier if anything. Many English girls look their best between 22 and 27. They may lose something of the *beauté du diable*, the charm of mere colouring, and a superabundant liberalness of contour; but they gain more than they lose: greater delicacy of feature, greater delicacy of colour, and, more than all, greater significance of expression. The heart has begun to shine through the eyes, giving them added meaning; and if it be a true heart, tenderness; and the whole face has begun to reflect what manner of soul there is behind. There is interest now in the face where before there was but beauty of line and tint. A girl's face at 18 is a pleasant picture to be looked at as you look at one of Mr. Albert Moore's pictures, a beautiful piece of decorative art; later on it is like a portrait by Mr. Herkomer, and is beginning to tell a story. It is then an open book, to be read by those who have a reading eye. So it is with Queenie. She has lost little or none of her sweet beauty at 25; the soft moist English climate has kept for her her wildrose tints as no other in the world could, but her face has gained in meaning and interest. There are plenty of fair girls in the various boats this afternoon, but Queenie, as the peddler would probably say were he here, is "hard to beat." Her face is a short oval, broad at the brows, and sloping at a rather wide angle to the fine small chin. Though her hair is dark brown, almost to black, and her colouring that of a brunette, her eyes are grey. Her profile is very clear and delicate, the slightly large nose is rather an advantage, giving a cachet of emphasis and distinction to a face that requires it from the very fineness of the small, neat features.

Queenie's dress is the perfection of piquant daintiness, the fresh white frock, the soft silk "shirt," with open collar touched with blue, and sailor knot; the straw hat, with plain broad ribbon of dark blue—everything is just sufficiently "chic" and up to time, without a suspicion of ultra-fashion.

Joan of Arc and Queenie are admirable foils to each other, the one type throwing the other into the proper relief without disadvantage to either. Joan is blonde and tall, with a figure like a wood nymph—the wave *from* hip to heel clean and swift as a statue, and as lissome as it is straight. She is what every British girl should be—and thousands are—wherever England's flag flies. She can ride and swim, and row a boat, and paddle a canoe, and waltz and play tennis, and sketch in colours, and sing, and—among her intimates—whistle like a thrush, and trim her own hats, and bake a seed-cake, and write a hand like a city clerk's. She is not an ideal person, but, as I have said, a common growth of this our present-day England, a daughter of the upper middle-classes, a representative of a type which neither fashion on the one hand, nor the "higher education of woman" on the other, have as yet, happily, banished from the land. Queenie and Joan of Arc are essentially different types. Both are English; but Queenie is not so distinctively English as the other. You may find girls not very dissimilar to Queenie, both mentally and physically, all English-speaking peoples among—in America and in the colonies, though nowhere in great numbers—but it is only England, I fancy, which yields a whole large class like Joan of Arc—the real nineteenth century "nymph," in whom bodily prowess slightly outweighs intellectual range, but who is nevertheless always modest and womanly, with no trace about her of the amazon or the boy in petticoats. Queenie is the rarer type, and the bond of their friendship is welded of dissimilarity of character and community of tastes—a frequent basis of sympathy between women, and of love between woman and man.

Beyond Boulter's Lock, the river broadens and stretches forward in a fine sweep, with beautifully feathered hills on the right, to Clieveden. Presently Queenie and Joan take the sculls. Here and there we pass a couple of anglers in their punts. They are taking roach or barbel, the latter with worm and a sinker. "See that stout old gentleman over there in the punt by the willows, with the handkerchief over his neck. Who does he remind you of?" the parson asks.

"Of Mr. Briggs, in Leech's *Punch* pictures long ago. Isn't that what you're thinking of?" I answer.

"Exactly. Mr. Briggs to a miracle. Leech sketched the river—the old fellows in the punts, and the rest, as no one has done since."

"Not Du Maurier?" Queenie says.

"He does the society side of the river in a way not to be matched, though many of his river scenes are taken from Whitby, I understand, not from the Thames."

"See, there is a bit straight from Du Maurier—that boat with those pretty girls with the Japanese parasols." Joan of Arc says.

"The men are Thames Rowing Club men. That is their 'blazer' Bow has on."

We are passing snug little riverside hotels with boats moored at the landing-stages, and cosy private houses, mostly of warm red brick, many-gabled, mullion-windowed, parched with ivy, and draped with westeria, and set in bowers of cedar-pine and beech. Tennis courts give upon the river banks, and we can hear from one the state of the game being called—"Vantage in! Game! Four, three."

"Just look at that little place there; isn't it neat?" Queenie exclaims. "It is a tiny space of smooth set sward, green as grass can be, with spaces ablaze with pelargoniums and carnations, backed by a low-roofed cottage, over which the tea-roses climb and wreathe in fragrant luxuriousness. The lawn slopes down to the river's edge, and a big Japanese umbrella, like a small tent, is set on the bank, and under it low wicker chairs, rugs, and a little gipsy tea-table, at which a girl is seated making tea in the daintiest of "Crown Derby" for some half-a-dozen people grouped about her.

"Isn't it sweet?" says Joan of Arc. "It makes me want tea, too; doesn't it you, Queenie."

"It is pretty, but a thought too artificial, perhaps," the poet remarks. "It is like a set scene on the stage. It might have come right out of one of Robertson's comedies, save for the flavour of æstheticism which has arisen since his time."

"It is our present day Arcadia, the only sort that is left to us now in England," the parson says, laughing.

"A trifle too much of the Burlington Arcadia about it. Surely it is a pity that during our brief open-air time we cannot be a little more natural, and unconventional; cannot leave our art-furnishings, and Chippendale jimcracks indoors, and forget for a little New Bond-street and the rococo prettinesses of Messrs. Liberty and Co."

"You might object to the whole Henley Show on the same lines."

"Well, you might. But Henley is a pretty bit of garden bric-a-brac I must admit."

"And *vertu* is always its own reward," someone remarks.

"Do you want us all to turn shepherds and shepherdesses for the nonce, and will you be our Theocritus?" the parson asks.

"Not Dresden china ones, anyway. Mr. Oscar Wilde is really getting his own way, and Nature itself is becoming *à la mode*."

"All I can say is, the tea looks all right. I don't suppose there's anything artificial about that," says Joan.

And so we glide slowly up stream—by villages asleep in the warm hollows, past ivy-wreathed churches and mossy churchyards—sunny silences where century-dead folk sleep the sleep which "the thunder cannot break," by rushing weirs marked "Danger," past punts moored among the lily-pads under the willows, with lady occupants dreaming over yellow-back romances, past little picnic parties bivouacked up some tiny backwater, "by many a fairy foreland" starred thick with dog-roses, past boathouses already making ready for the Henley festival, garlanded with flowers, canopied with the gayest of awnings, and hung with padella lights for the evening illumination. How amazingly fine a sight Henley course will be on Wednesday, in spite of the poet's strictures, when every boathouse shall have decked itself in its brightest bravery—every one a miracle of colour and ingenious device, and no two alike—and every woman has put on the gown she has been keeping to honour Henley with.

From Maidenhead to Cookham is an easy afternoon's sculling for two, and the return trip is little more than drifting. We get out and rest awhile at Cookham lock, and then turn our boat's head down stream again. Now and then we pass one of the many "stately homes of England" that are to be found along the banks of the Thames—set in spacious demesnes, emerald-lawned, with darkling cedar walks, brilliant with summer pastures, and shadowy with immemorial elms. The afternoon sun strikes the oriel windows, and they flash back an answering splendour in a myriad topaz and ruby lights. You may not be a particularly conservative person, or a particularly anything in politics, one may hope not to "be there to see," when these beautiful and gracious pleasaunces, that are almost as great a boon and pleasure to the public as to the possessors, shall be all parcelled out into "three acres and a cow." It will be bad for the acres too, and bad for the cow.

"What a mellow landscape it all is," the poet says, "and how all the parts fit into each other: how they all 'compose' as the artists say. That, I think, is the distinctive characteristic of English scenery—its beautiful completeness. Nowhere else in the world can you find the same flawless finish. There is nothing crude, ragged, or ill-balanced about an English landscape. Just look around. Everywhere a marvellous harmony and proportion; everywhere an exquisite beauty of detail. These woods and gardens make the most appropriate setting for the old houses, and the whole scene looks as if it had mellowed down through centuries to the present aspect. And so it has. Nothing but time could have produced this grave, sweet beauty. The soft, sure fingers of time have rounded off every harsh angle, and ragged edge, every hard bleak line, not only in the houses, but in the very trees and hills. And the snows of winter and the spring rains, not less than the summer suns, have contributed to the total result. There is a conjunction of climatic conditions peculiar to these islands, and found absolutely nowhere else. Only under a cool, low sky, in a climate subject to no extremes, where moisture is never for long absent, yet where there is sufficient sunshine to ripen colour in tree, and flower, and cloud, can there be built up this rich, soft, eye-satisfying landscape. An Australian lady said to me the other day. 'The English trees are a constant marvel and delight to strangers—each one is so perfectly drawn. And so they all are. Every oak, elm, and beech is like a picture, a model of arborial symmetry, and yet not in the least stiff or formal. You may find bigger and more astonishing trees in many countries; but none so completely beautiful as these. And so it is with English scenery generally. It is rarely awe-inspiring; but it is perfect in its mellow beauty. You go to gaze at Swiss and other scenery, to wonder at the Jungfrau, and Glencoe, and the Yosemite; but English scenery is scenery to live amidst. It never oppresses you by its size or grandeur, it never wearies you by its monotony. It is always bright and friendly, and yet has a grave sweet beauty all its own. It is like the face of the woman you love, and like it, too, grows upon you with the years."

"What a long speech!" cried Joan. "Are you rehearsing a magazine article to see how it goes?"

But Queenie was silent, though she had heard every word of the poet's monologue. In truth, there was nothing in it particularly original or artful, but to Queenie the phrases seemed to fit into each other like a piece of mosaic, and she did not think a single one could be altered for the better. She wondered how any person could talk like that straight off, and supposed that out of men like the poet members of Parliament and great barristers, not to speak of poets, were made. She was far from being a simple young person either, but she saw the poet, and indeed the whole world just now, through a golden haze.

I suspect this will be among the last of these pleasant water parties and others. For the attitude of the parson and Joan of Arc towards each other has also been very *suspicious for* some time past. And marriages alter so many things—change the old relations, make impossible the old fellowships. The board is swept clean of the pieces, and the game of life begins afresh with the same pieces no doubt, but with a quite new arrangement. It may be long ere the present company shall meet again for any sort of *al-fresco* holiday-making. The gods that must be worshipped after marriage are not so much those of stream and forest, but rather the tutelary deities of the roof-tree, the Lares and Penates of the hearth-stone, who are somewhat jealous divinities, requiring a deal of service and propitiatory sacrifice.

As we approach Boulter's lock once more the westering sun is dropping behind the woods of Maidenhead, and it is nearly twilight. The river is shining with a pale crimson light, dappled with brown shadows under the banks.

The lock is fuller than ever on our return, boats that have been up-stream since morning, picnicking and whatnot, now swelling the numbers. There are a couple of steam-launches passing through now, too, and there is a little jostling in getting out, but only for those who, for no reason whatever, show haste or impatience.

"We were in last, and we'll be out first," remarks one young argonaut to his companion, in a stage whisper. But the vaunt is overheard by a lusty young waterman who has a quiet elderly couple in charge, out for a blow on the river. He has been the first to enter the lock himself, and he silently resolves to maintain his rights. As the lock gates swing open both boats make a rush, but the young river boatman has been narrowly watching his chance, and getting his skiff's nose half a foot in front of his rival's, with a vigorous stroke shoves ahead. The sculls lock for a moment in the narrow exit; the rowers in the other boat, nettled by the unexpected opposition, endeavour to impede their rival, and themselves forge ahead. But another vehement stroke sees the waterman clear, and sends his skiff out into the stream, a clear length ahead. Then, his victory manifest, his good-humour returns, and he indulges in a parting shaft of mild chaff.

"You think yourselves 'very fine and large,' gentlemen, I dessay; but if you were last in you've no rights to be fust out. Them's not the rules of the river, not since I've knowed it anyway, and that's since I could hold an oar."

"How far down are you going?" asks one rower, who has two lady companions, in his boat of a driver of a small steam barge.

"Windsor, sir."

"Can you take me on?"

"Yes, sir."

"When shall you reach Windsor?"

The man, thinking the other wishes to make his destination as early as possible, answered—

"Eight o'clock, sir," which is half-an-hour earlier than he can do it in.

"So soon! I didn't want to be there till 10."

The man at once changes his tack, and lies again—

"Don't think we can do it before 9, sir, not to-day."

The gentleman throws him a shilling. "I'll go as far as the next lock with you, anyway, and chuck off when I tell you."

So the skiff is made fast, and the little puffing launch takes the party spinning on their way down stream.

A few minutes past the lock and we are at Maidenhead again. Thrush and blackbird have ceased their fluting as we land in the gathering dusk. This morning I was wakened in the small hours by the cuckoo—which is late this summer—calling from the beechen copse across the hay meadows. It is a pleasant sound to be roused by on a sunshining June morning, especially if there is no necessity for you to get up. With a clear round call, cleaving the still air like an arrow-flight, comes wafted through the windows the smell of the fresh-mown hay, and the swish of the scythe, a particularly delightful sound that brings the whole of "L'Allegro" to your mind in a flash. Blackbird and thrush have accompanied us all the afternoon, and if we are lucky we may hear the nightingales on our way back to the railway station. The 8.20 train takes my companions back to town, and leaves me to solitude and the pondering of this article.

*We used to be taught, I well remember, to render *profanum* "uninitiated." That was good for those days; but I think the master himself would allow that my "Philistine" comes nearer to hitting the gold now.

CONDEMNED DWELLINGS OF THE HAND-WORKING CLASSES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In my letter of 29th August I anticipated the triumph of the statesman who should apply the provisions of the Artisans Dwelling Act, Scotland, 1875, to our own city, and, in my schedule to that letter, I showed how large a number of persons still live under confessedly unwholesome conditions in our midst, demanding such a remedy.

I have thought it desirable to offer to those who are not fond of summations for social objects the upshot of this schedule in one line, viz.,—98 tenements, 81 occupied, 586 occupants. The remaining 17 buildings have been converted into factories, are unoccupied, or are in ruins.

Admitting that the advantages of the labours of our mayors and their officers in removing infirm and unwholesome buildings from the city, and giving place to substantial structures, can scarcely be over-estimated, it remains for a greater legislative authority to effect the present objects—those being no less than the "making provision for dwellings of the working-class" displaced in consequence of the pulling down of unhealthful residences.

If the figures of my schedule represent—which, I think, they do not—all the unhealthful localities in the city, which might well demand the performance of the functions of such a legislative act as I ask, we have still, admitted, about 600 citizens living in unwholesome conditions. It is precisely from such homes that the lads and lasses flee to the streets in the hot summer night; it is precisely in, or by reason of, such homes that a portion of our larrikin class are bred. It has been by my seeking the larrikin, "The lion in his den, the Douglas in his hall," that I have been made aware in how large degree one branch of human life depends upon another, the moral upon the physical! and of how great importance, therefore, it is for those who aspire to be rulers of men, to consider them in every light—their conditions in all their phases.

It is of such essential importance to the workers in certain factories, and other employments in the city, to be early at work in the morning, that they must find homes near their work, costly and inconvenient and unwholesome as these may be; by these necessities, such buildings as have been condemned, are, perhaps, in some cases, permitted to remain.

If the figures of my schedule do not represent all the misery available to the pen of the reforming statesman, the argument, based upon the wretchedness of only 600 citizens, will be fortified, when the buildings, now temporarily escaped from the Mayor's hand, by virtue of a bucket of whitewash and a pot of paint, shall come to be fairly placed—foul though they be—in the category of unfit in design, material, construction, area, and surroundings, for habitations at the present time, however tolerable in former days some of them may have been, when open spaces lay on every side, population was more sparse, and nuisance only in a nascent form in their imperfect floors, walls, and back yards.

If no more than 600 citizens be found claiming, with mute pale faces, consideration at the hands of the architects of State houses, they comprise seven times the number of the living sufferers from the Bulli disaster, for whom £50,000 have been subscribed; thus we send flannel waistcoats to the little nigger boys, *in partibus*, and preach workhouse gospel to our own at home.

Truly we are a far-seeing as well as a noble people, and yet we legislate for pockets instead of for persons. Doubtless we have many statesmen among us; where are they hidden? Can it be denied that for the remedy of this evil state of things the hour is come? Who shall say here is also the man? I am, &c.,

Llewellyn. BURTON BRADLEY.

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"224, Seven Sisters-road, Holloway, London N., Aug. 19, 1885.—Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons.—Dear Sirs,—After having tried the sample of 'Pure Concentrated Cocoa' you sent me, it gives me pleasure to say that I consider it a very superior preparation, possessing, as you say, the full flavour of the Cocoa, and quite free from the thick soapy consistence of ordinary cocoa. I should consider it a valuable adjunct to the food of young children, and one of the best substitutes for tea in cases of dyspepsia in adults. I am, gentlemen, yours truly, H. W. HAYDON, L.S.A., North Metropolitan Dispensary."—[ADVT.]

WILL. M'DONALD'S STORY.—I had eczema and salt rheum for 17 years. I had it on my head, face, neck, arms and legs. I was not able to walk, only on my hands and knees, for one year. I have not been able to help myself for eight years. I tried hundreds of remedies; not one had the least effect. The doctors said my case was incurable, so my parents tried everything that came along. I saw your advertisement, and concluded to try Cuticura remedies. The Cuticura brought the humour to the surface of my skin. It would drop off as it came out, until now I am entirely well. All I can say is I thank you most heartily for my cure. Any persons who think this letter a fraud, let them write, or come and see me and find out for themselves.—WILL. M'DONALD, 2542, Dearborn-street, Chicago, Ill. Sworn to before the British Consul.—[ADVT.]

THE MAGAZINES FOR AUGUST.

FIRST NOTICE.

In *Longman's Magazine* Mr. Rider Haggard finishes his wonderful tale of "Allan Quartermaine." Those who never read any of the writer's previous books have been enchanted with this story; those who have will generally agree that his peculiar vein shows signs of being worked out. Miss C. Black contributes a noteworthy paper on the wages of poor women. As a protest against the "sweating" system she gives a list of firms who pay their women-workers fair and sufficient wages, with the obvious intention of inducing lady buyers to boycott firms which are not mentioned. The expedient is a desperate one, and is likely to work unfairly. Dr. B. Richardson writes on "Toxicopolis," by which he means a town in which people drink too much. The article is not free from the exaggeration which seems inevitable in temperance essays, but it is on the whole a striking and wholesome warning. Those, for instance, who, without being drunkards, habitually drink more than is good for them, may well ponder over the following passage:—

"These strong men of Toxicopolis bear strains and shocks and trials with wretched resistance. The surgeon finds them the most anxious of patients. On them he fears to operate if accident or disease calls for his simplest skill. He tells his students these are bad subjects for the knife, and that to be most conservative in respect to them, surgically, is the safest and soundest practice. In like manner the physician spots them as ready victims of disease. He knows their inherent weakness, their feeble resistance to all forms of acute malady, to typhoid, to typhus, to inflammatory affections, to exposure to extremes of cold, of heat, of fatigue, of deprivation, of work of every kind under adversity, or under pressure. When the wave of cold comes over the land suddenly these are the men who first fall from congestion of the lungs, bronchitis, pneumonia. When the wave of heat passes over the land these are the men who first fall from sunstroke, apoplexy, and syncope, from exhaustion, shock, or over-excitement. These classes are the weak or asthenic plethoric people, who are looked upon by their friends as pictures of health."

"The Mystery of the Ocean Star" is the best short story—and that is saying much—that Mr. Clark Russell has ever written. Every reader will be enthralled till he has read the very last word. Mr. Christie Murray and Mr. Henry Herman co-operate in a tale of Druidical times, which they call "One Traveller Returns." The beginning seems to show that the story will be gloomy and ghastly.

Blackwood's Magazine is a decidedly good number. The most noteworthy article is by Baker Pasha, on England's warlike strength. His two practical suggestions are these—that in time of war the Government (in other words, the community at large) should pay the war risks on merchant ships; and that the militia should be considered available for offensive as well as defensive war. A paper on the Moncrieffe system of fortification will be read with pleasure by Australians. The writer considers all other systems obsolete and positively mischievous. Besides these two articles there is some excellent fiction and criticism, and sportsmen will read with feelings of envy "A Fall Hunt in the Rockies."

Scribner's still retains its preeminence among the American magazines by reason of Thackeray's unpublished letters. These are as charming as ever. Here, for instance, is a description of the opening of the 1851 Exhibition:—

"The ode has had a great success. What do you mean by 'an ode as she calls it?' *Vive dieu*, Madame, it is either an ode or nix (the German for nothing). And as for the Exhibition, which don't interest me at all so much, it was a noble, awful, great love-inspiring, goosefiesh-bringing sight. I got a good place by good luck, and saw the whole affair, of which no particular item is wonderful; but the general effect, the multitude, the riches, the peace, the splendour, the security, the sunshine, great to see—much grander than a coronation. The vastest and sublimest popular festival that the world has ever witnessed before. What can one say about it but commonplace? There was a Chinese with a face like a pantomime-mask and shoes, who went up and kissed the Duke of Wellington, much to the old boy's surprise.

"And the Queen looked not uninteresting; and Prince Albert grave, handsome, and princely; and the Prince of Wales and the Princess Royal are nice children—very eager to talk and observe they seemed. And while the Archbishop was saying his prayer, beginning with *Pater Noster*, which sounded, in that wonderful throng, inexpressibly sweet and awful, three Romish priests were staring about them, with opera-glasses, which made me feel as angry as the Jews who stoned Stephen."

The *Century* is, as usual, chiefly occupied with its history of the war and its life of President Lincoln. There is, moreover, a learned article on "Low Prices, High Wages, and Small Profits." The reader who is merely in search of amusement will not find in this number much of what he wants.

One has seldom anything but praise for *Temple Bar*, and this number is quite up to the usual standard of excellence. A new story, by Miss Louisa Parr, called "Loyalty George," is begun, and "A Red Spider" is finished. The latter is wound up in rather a mechanical and commonplace way, but it has been most assuredly one of the best novels of the season. The articles called "Breakfasts at Bordeaux," "French Society Ninety Years Ago," "Some American Impressions," and "Ireland through French Eyes," may all be recommended. But we cannot quite believe in the last mentioned article as a serious contribution to the Irish problem. For example, the following story is good, but it is far too French in its manner to be in the least true:—

"'The other day,' said he, 'one of my colleagues was playing billiards with his curate, when it was announced that a man was looking for him to confess in the sacristy. He went at once to take his place in the confessional, and the man began to enumerate his sins.'

"'Father,' he said, 'I accuse myself of having slain a man, three months ago, by shooting at him.'

"'Oh, oh,' thought the curate, 'this is a serious matter.'

"He had still his hand on the chalk of the billiard table; he made a mark with it on his left sleeve.

"'Go on, my son,' he said aloud.

"'That is not all,' stammered the penitent; 'two days afterwards I shot at Paddy Ryan, but I only wounded him.'

"The curate made a second mark on the sleeve, and said with a sigh:

"'Go on, my son'

"'After that I shot at Corney O'Sullivan, and at Tim O'Flaherty, and at Timothy O'Hagan.'

"The curate jumped up on his chair.

"'Good God, my son, what harm did all these men do you whom you wished to send into eternity? What manner of men were they?'

"'Oh, my father, they were all bailiffs or tax-gatherers!'

"'Fool!' roared the curate, rubbing his sleeve violently; 'you should have told me that sooner, and not let me destroy my best cassock!'"

This month's *Cornhill*, outside the "Gaverocks," is not at the *Cornhill's* best. The short stories are below par, and there is none of those charming little essays, which are the *Cornhill's* specialty, to make up for the badness of the fiction.

In the *English Illustrated*, Mr. Hugh Thompson's illustrations to the ballad of "Captain Dilberry Diddle" are clever and funny, but just verging on vulgarity." Mr. Marion Crawford continues his story of "Marzio's Crucifix," which will be a success, so far as a story of purely Italian life can be a success to English readers. "A Visit to a Dutch Country House" is excellent reading.

In *Macmillan's Magazine* we expect refinement, culture, and humour, and a certain touch of the literary manner which is peculiar to Oxford. These things we have once more, and are duly thankful for them. The best papers are those called "At Little Gidding" and "The Profession of Letters." Mr. Marion Crawford has mistaken his powers in "With the Immortals." The mighty dead to whom he introduces us do not impress us in any way; in fact, they strike us as unmitigated bores.

There is much which may be read with pleasure in the *Gentleman's Magazine*, particularly Mr. Phil. Robinson's "Lucifers and the Poets," and Mr. Barton Baker's account of old Sadler's Wells. "A Japanese Execution" should also be glanced at.

We have also to acknowledge *Belgravia*, *Chambers's Journal*, the *Magazine of Art*, *Little Folks*, *Cassell's Magazine*, the *Quiver*, the *Boys' Own Papers*, the *Girls' Own Papers*, the *Leisure Hour*, the *Sunday at Home*, and the *Ladies' Gazette of Fashion*. It should be added that the *Magazine of Art* is an uncommonly good number.

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons. I have examined 'Fry's Pure Concentrated Soluble Cocoa,' and have formed a high opinion of its dietetic value. I have never tasted cocoa that I like so well; it mixes quickly and completely with hot water, and forms therewith a beverage very pleasant both in flavour and odour. A teaspoonful makes a breakfast cup of strong solution. There are few who would not like this preparation, but it is especially adapted to those whose digestive organs are weak, and I strongly recommend it as a substitute for tea for young persons. SIR CHARLES A. CAMERON, M.D., President of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland; Vice-President Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain, Medical Officer of Health, Dublin, &c., &c., 15, Pembroke-road, Dublin."—[ADVT.]

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AS YOU LIKE IT.

"Ay, marry, now unmuzzle your wisdom."—ROSALIND.

At Cudal, last Tuesday, Mr. Garrett was more enigmatical in his Land Act amendment revelations to the Cudalites than was his colleague, the Premier, touching that railway which, he assured his hearers, "ought to be somewhere not a hundred miles from Cudal." Now, that was something like a "straight tip," if you like; but what is one to make of such a forecast as this of Mr. Garrett? "As to what would be his duty to propose in the new bill, he might indicate it by referring to the course he had taken on this question all the time he had been in Parliament." Very edifying, is it not, and very satisfactory! The course Mr. Garrett has taken on the land question, whether as a Minister or a private member of Parliament, and whether as attached or unattached to his old-time guide, philosopher and friend is to characterise the new measure, is it? In that case, we may fairly describe it as a "harmony in white and black, with a yellow background, and a green sky;" or, if anyone rather affects the precision of the compass, he may understand the coming legislation as something pointing north by south, with an easterly-westerly variation of about 180°. But, perhaps, there was a deeper meaning in Mr. Garrett's words. Might he not have been prognosticating a repetition of certain inscrutable tactics of '88! That, having helped to wipe out the Robertson laws, and to substitute a law containing nine out of ten of his own proposals, he will now do his best to wipe out the Farnell Act, and restore the Robertsonian. The effusive reference to his old master certainly points that way; and, after all, I suppose there is such a thing as political remorse. A politician not seldom, in this country, is "on with the new love" before he is properly "off with his old." After a few years of weathercock-watching, he thinks he can discover symptoms of the wind showing a disposition to veer back into the old quarter; thereupon he puts a few things into his carpet bag and goes "a-cudalling." As for us poor creatures who are not in his confidence what is there left for us to do between now and the introduction of that new Land Bill? Why, guess what the new surprises are to be. Will they be revival of auction sales? Improvement purchases? Thursday to Thursday holdings? Pre-emptive leases? Mineral conditionals? Well! Well! How truly Mr. Farnell spoke on that once historic occasion (wasn't it at Gosford?) "There are vicissitudes in politics."

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It is indeed gratifying to learn that the Minister for Justice is making himself so useful. Now-a-days we get whole budgets of news about him and his doings, and, compared with his colossal activity, the deeds of all the other members of the Cabinet put together are nothing worth. To show how determined Mr. Clarke is to be a profitable public servant, let us look at his doings as chronicled in a single day's issue of the papers. We learn: 1. That he is engaged upon the graceful task of writing a series of letters to the Premier upon his recent experiences in the far West. These will doubtless illustrate the Minister's epistolary skill, and also show the advantage of keeping office messengers always ready, so that the expectant Sir Henry may not be kept waiting for his literary treat. They will also teach us the superiority of written over oral communications. 2. Mr. Clarke has been studying the condition of the dead, and the depth of graves with reference to over-crowding. 3. The Minister for Justice intends to visit Bathurst, in order to inspect a piece of land in front of the gaol. 4. We learn that the result of the recent visit of the Minister for Justice to Goulburn will probably be a saving to the Government of £450 per annum. 5. He received a deputation of licensed public drivers. 6. Some good deeds in the matter of a courthouse at Hay, during his recent visit to that place. 7. He went into the question of the expenses of the District Court Judges the other day, and means to look after the public interest in the matter. Now, besides these important doings, which Mr. Clarke has communicated to us, I do not doubt that there are many other good things for which we ought to thank him; but they have been done by stealth and any enumeration of them might cause our Minister to blush with conscious modesty. I must, therefore, content myself with a general expression of admiration, and record my delight at finding that if the law sometimes sleeps justice, at all events, is wide awake. Only let us hope that the latter, in its headlong course, may not chance to tumble over the prostrate and unconscious body of the former. People thus suddenly awakened are prone to use uncivil language. I remember that on one occasion Mr. Abbott's zeal received a check, and that the late Chief Justice made a rather unkind minute upon one of his communications. But so untoward an experience can hardly happen to Mr. Clarke, whose earnestness is only equalled by his modesty.

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There is a certain cynical impudence about the proposals of the Railway Department, which almost extorts our unwilling admiration. They contemplate the prospective butchery of their customers with an easy complacency which is hardly likely to be shared by the public. There would not, I presume, be any necessity for this retrenchment in the matter of the lives of unoffending persons, but that the Department is prepared for a series of disastrous accidents at any moment of time. Grammarians have done well to teach us the difference between the active and passive at the outset. Our view of things is so materially modified according as we are the slayers or the slain, the breakers or the broken. No doubt it may seem hard to the Department that they should be called upon to satisfy the demands of hecatombs of victims who are extortionate enough to ask that their wives and families shall, if they have to endure the pain of their loss, at least be spared the added misery of beggary. The intended victims will, nevertheless, think that it is better that the Department should take precautions to avoid this unpleasant position altogether by carrying safely those whom they have contracted to so carry. It will further be felt (not, of course, by the Department) that no accidents ought to take place with our present limited traffic; and that if we are obliged with our small population and large territory, to provide for them already, it will be better to do without the Railway Department altogether. We should, doubtless, lose a good deal of time by returning to coaches and buggies for long journeys; but, after all, the chief purpose of a journey is not fulfilled if you stop half way in a moribund condition in a telescoped railway carriage, or in a bed at the nearest hospital. And after all the most parsimonious of coach proprietors would hardly regard £200 as compensation (!) to the family of a man who had been earning three or four thousand a year, or propose that he should live on the handsome income to be derived from the investment of an equal capital sum. I don't say anything about the injustice of the proposal to compete with accident insurance companies. Of course they are wholly unworthy of consideration in so important a matter as the welfare of a great department.

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It is a very common experience to meet imported disappointments, or, rather, disappointed importations, in this country. Chiefly they are ladies, who were inveigled on board ship on the assurance that about a month after accepting the post of governesses to a widowed squatter's children — hundreds of such widowers being in the habit of going off to board every mail steamer long before she drops anchor—they would be pestered to accept papa's not very soft or lily-white hand. These are naturally enough hugely disappointed with New South Wales, when they find that there is a sharp limit to the demand for governesses, and that the marriage market is almost bare of operators. The disappointed males generally belong to that large class who find everything they touch a failure, and hope to change their luck by emigrating. One of these last fell across my path a few days ago; but I was astonished to find that his grievance was the badness and dearness of our oysters! He had been in the colony six weeks, and instead of finding the streets lined with oyster saloons, and the rocks and beaches of the harbour choked with "natives," he told me that he had not been able to find an eatable oyster anywhere. As to the pale brown "blobbery" things you get in the shops, said he, why you could not sell such rubbish in the New Cut or Ratcliffe Highway. The rock oysters of the harbour he declared to be simply an infamous swindle. Had he not spent days at Manly, Watson's Bay, and up the Parramatta River without seeing anything but limpets, mussels, and green slime. He says, however, that he will wait until Christmas and see if anything turns up, and then if nothing turns up, he shall return to a country where there are oysters. Is not this a case for the fish commissioners who have the departmental care of oysters? Perhaps they might give the poor fellow some sort of roving appointment with instructions to find out whether there are still any oysters in the colony, and report.

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Several months ago I said a few words in this column about the Reredophobists and the Reredophilists. It was about the time when the Primate went to England. Well, now that he has returned, and is presiding in the Diocesan Synod, this same Reredos is once more brought into requisition by the people, who made such good use of it as a "conscience bogy," after its erection. A petition signed by some 6000 Reredophobists has been presented to the Synod, the touching prayer of which is that this sculptured stumbling-block be forthwith removed; and some bad wag suggested in the *Herald* a few days ago that on removal it should be sold to Cardinal Moran. Meanwhile, the two factions, in spite of the Primate's exhortation to them not to call each other names, have begun to be mutually opprobrious. "Fanatical Prots," "Idolators," "Vandals," "Disguised Papists," are some of the descriptive epithets they are launching at one another. Some speakers in Synod preface their orations by assuring everybody that they intend to be cool and moderate, and exhorting their hearers to be cool and moderate likewise; and then, after two or three sentences, you see these cool and moderate ones raving, and the hearers interrupt, and cheer, just as if there was some hustings business going on. If anybody wants my candid opinion about this "ruction," he is welcome to it. The view I take is that the Church of England Association has sufficiently proved that it is a "live thing;" and might now very graciously leave the chapter alone. The danger is that the agitation may be overdone, and the Reredos removed. Then the Association would collapse, I fear, for want of a good square grievance. They have a first-class grievance now, and it ought to keep them in a state of angry exhilaration for years. Who knows but that Reredos or No Reredos might not be made an issue for members of Parliament to go to the country upon, if the matter is taken up by experienced hands. But there is always the danger with grievances that I have just hinted at. They want careful manipulation, or else you run a good chance of getting rid of your grievance, and of yourself sinking into oblivion. Is it not Sydney Smith who tells us that he knew a man who entertained a deep personal dislike to the Equator, but his friends never tried to argue him out of it for fear of shortening his life if he should lose the darling antipathy of a lifetime.

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Just another word about this Reredos controversy. I have been told on good authority (if there is such a thing) that ladies were present during the first debate, and, after the fashion of the sex, testified their concurrence, "or otherwise" with the deliverances of the various speakers by vehement tappings of the floor, and other noises. Then it was, I believe, that the Primate felt himself obliged to say that if this kind of thing should be repeated he would have to clear the "galleries." There was no profane jocularity in the threat, as some heathenish people might suppose. No, it was the sober judicial reproof of the presiding sacerdos. Further, I am assured that more ladies will be present to-night (Friday), some of them armed with stout umbrellas, for the purpose of accentuating public opinion; others with "missals" (whatever that may mean). Lastly, it is forecasted that the amendment of the Archdeacon of Cumberland (I hope I give his addition properly) will be carried, and, as a consequence, that the Reredos will be bowdlerised. As a very sapient friend of mine says, "the condition of affairs is fraught with serious issues." But, to confess the truth, I do not praise the inventors of this mean compromise. Mr. Edward Knox's "previous question" should have raised the real question, and there should have been no faltering. Either the Reredos should stay where it is, as it is, or it should be removed. To take out a bit here or a bit there is a miserable attempt to reconcile the factions. And when you reconcile them, won't the success of these Reredophobists (if they score a win) incite them to undertake things "still more impious and revolutionary." May they not even be moved to "go agin" the State House, or even to agitate for the removal of the Post Office—(No, I can't finish the sentence)? T. J.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following official notifications were published in yesterday's *Government Gazette*:—

CURRAGHBEENA PARK.—The land at Little Sirius Cove, which was dedicated for the purpose of public recreation in *Gazette* of 15th January, 1886, is to be a Public Park within the meaning of the "Public Parks Act of 1884," and be known by the name of "Curraghbeena Park."

NORTH ILLAWARRA.—The population of the municipal district of North Illawarra being now over 1000, the said district is declared to be entitled from henceforth to nine aldermen in place of six as heretofore.

VOLUNTEER APPOINTMENT.—Mr. Herbert David Crocker to be second lieutenant in the Marrickville Reserve Corps of volunteer infantry.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. Henry Gordon, police magistrate, to be coroner for the district of Brisbane Water, and for the colony generally, vice Mr. Reeve. Mr. John Davis, police magistrate, to be visiting justice to the gaol at Bega, vice Mr. Pedon, resigned. Mr. Edward Reeve, acting police magistrate, to act as visiting justice to the gaol at Port Macquarie.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.—The undermentioned teachers have been appointed to the positions and schools specified in connection with their respective names:—Mr. John B. Doyle, teacher, Public school, Mittagong; Miss Ellen Ellis, teacher, Public school, Girilambone; Miss Bessie Lovell, teacher, Provisional school, Lower Mowembah; Miss Nora E. Launders, teacher, Provisional school, Yarrowitch; Mr. Archibald M'Naught, assistant, Superior Public school, Crown-street; Mr. William C. Kensett, assistant, Superior Public school, Blackfriars.

NEW EVENING PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—It is proposed to establish evening Public schools at Mount Murray, near East Kangaloon; and at Stockton, near Newcastle.

NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL.—It is proposed to establish a Public school at Brook Vale, near Manly.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.—The undermentioned tenders have been accepted by the Government:—D. and W. Robertson—The construction in the colony of ironwork for superstructure of over-bridge at Bathurst station; Kerr and Taylor—The construction of a duplicate line of railway from Goulburn to Joppa Junction; F. Buckle—The lighterage of permanent way material for three years from 1st October, 1887; Jas. Russell—The supply and delivery into trucks at Newcastle of 300 tons blue metal stone; James Perry—The supply and delivery of 6000 cubic yards gravel or broken stone ballast at or near Koorawatha; M. J. O'Brien—The supply and delivery of 4000 cubic yards gravel or broken stone ballast at Cowra. The tender of Thomas Wearne has been accepted for the supply of fire-proof safes, on account of the public service, during the year 1888. The tender of Neave and Co. has been accepted for the supply of filters, on account of the public service, during the year 1888. The tender of Allen and Walker has been accepted for the supply of timber, on account of the public service, during the year 1888.

REMOVAL AND RESTORATION OF PUBLIC LIBRARY AS A TOWN HALL.

This beautiful freestone building, in the Corinthian and Venetian styles of classical architecture, was erected in 1843 on a clay foundation, which shortly caused a settlement in the Macquarie-street front. This was shown, by the report, dated November 6, 1844, by a Government board of the three leading architects of Sydney, to have caused a hollow or concave surface, the greatest camber or versed sine not exceeding 2in. A further settlement took place between 1844 and 1869, when the Macquarie-street cornice bulged out 7in. in the centre of this frontage, where it was stayed by six iron tie rods attached to the six queen trusses of roof. The cornice, &c., has remained in this state until last week, when the whole of the building was lowered, for removal, to the level of the frieze. The demolition is being actively continued to make room for the completion of the new Library, the portion already finished being opened to the public on Thursday last, the 1st September. The contractor has produced drawings showing how the old portion of the Library, if removed to one of our suburban boroughs, might be adapted as a Town Hall, with an entrance to ground floor, and by a flight of steps over this to the first floor, the whole of which is proposed to be used as an assembly hall, 96ft. long by 40ft. wide, and 29ft. high, to seat 690 adults, and with galleries at the sides and end 310 more, or 1000 in all. The segmental end of hall shows a platform or stage 24ft. by 13ft., with a ante-room on each side. The ground floor contains—library, 30ft. by 22ft.; council chamber, 29ft. by 22ft., with ante-room 12ft. by 12ft.; lodge-room, 29ft. by 22ft, with ante-room 12ft. by 12ft.; cloak and hat room, 12ft. by 4ft.; also strong-room for records, 8ft. by 3ft. These rooms are approached by a central corridor. On the opposite side of corridor are: surveyor's room, 17ft. by 12ft; council clerks, two rooms each, 12ft. square; mayor's room, 19½ft. by 12ft.; and inspector of nuisance's room, 12ft. by 12ft. The whole of these rooms and corridor are 15ft. high. Caretaker's quarters are attached as a lean-to, with living room and bedroom each 12ft. square, kitchen 12ft. by 10ft., and all 10ft. high. The ventilation and sanitary requirements have not been neglected. By a judicious adaptation of the old materials in preserving the main features of the original design, the contractor is enabled to construct the above at about one-half the cost of a similar building with all new materials. Without much alteration the present building can be adapted as a public hall or church to suit 700 adults, with caretaker's quarters or Sunday-school in basement.

THE NAVAL REVIEW AT SPITHEAD.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

H.M.S. ASSISTANCE, PORTSMOUTH, JULY 23.

The Jubilee celebrations have fitly concluded with a great naval review. In the other ceremonies and rejoicings, it may be said that we ourselves were only interested. But an exhibition of England's naval strength interests the whole of mankind. Were any disaster to destroy those ships on which England's safety and England's Empire depend, the shock of the catastrophe would be felt in the remotest corners of the globe. Our foreign visitors had seen our pageantry, in which they might at least equal us; and our military display, as to which, numerically at any rate, they could far excel us. It was left to the last to show them that in which England's mightiness is as yet unchallenged. Now, it may at once be said that the great naval review has been an immense success. It is indeed difficult to make a naval review, even on the largest scale, as impressive as a military review. If the spectator sees the whole fleet from a distance, the ships are inevitably dwarfed by the expanse of sea; if he has a near view he can only see a few vessels at a time. Thus it is no easy matter to grasp the general meaning of such a review as we have had to-day at Spithead. Yet there were moments when the sight became almost awful, and certainly no visitor went away without new ideas about England's strength on the sea, both for defence and for attack.

Early in the morning Waterloo and Victoria stations were crowded. Special trains left in quick succession. These were filled with peers, with members of the House of Commons, with ambassadors, with foreign potentates, and with the general guests of the Admiralty. Each visitor had a ticket directing him to his special ship. The scene at Portsmouth harbour was a strange and exciting one. The Osborne, with the Prince of Wales and his family on board, was moored near Nelson's old flagship, the Victory. Along the jetties a number of big Indian troopships and lesser crafts were lying. The Euphrates was allotted to the peers and their friends, and The Crocodile to the House of Commons. So eager were our legislators to obtain a sight that as soon as the Crocodile moved out of the harbour I noticed many ardent members scrambling up her shrouds, and even making their way through the "lubber's hole" into her tops. The Assistance was appropriated to Admiralty guests. Shortly after noon the Osborne cast off her moorings, and steamed slowly out of the inner harbour, being saluted as she passed by 21 guns from the Duke of Wellington. She was followed by the Euphrates, the Crocodile, the Malabar, and the Assistance. The other ships with visitors on board had previously left for their appointed anchoring places. Southsea Common was thronged with thousands of spectators, and so also on the opposite shore was Ryde and its pier. When we rounded the outer fort and the Solent became visible, then for the first time the full significance of the spectacle made itself understood. Between the coast of the Isle of Wight and the Hampshire shore lay the whole of England's home navy. Not a single ship or boat had been taken from a foreign station. The vessels which we saw were those strictly and honestly applicable for warfare in the English Channel, and for the defence of our coasts. They were arranged in four long lines, which stretched almost from Ryde to Cowes. On the south or Isle of Wight side of the Solent lay the battle ships, or cruisers; on the north, or Hampshire side were the floating batteries, the gunboats, and the torpedo boats. Omitting the troop ships, the force present consisted of 26 armour-clads, nine unarmoured ships, three torpedo cruisers, one torpedo gunboat, one gun and torpedo vessel, 38 first-class torpedo boats, 38 gunboats, one paddle frigate, and six training brigs. As the Prince of Wales' yacht came in sight the whole of this fleet dressed itself as if by magic with thousands of flags and streamers. The effect was marvellous. The quick transition from bare masts to clouds of fluttering bunting gave that aspect of life to the fleet which made one feel how much sentient humanity it represented. Of course our attention was chiefly concentrated on the southern line-of-battle ships. These were anchored in two lines, and arranged in three squadrons. At the head of the lines were the Agincourt and the Minotaur, huge and stately five-masted ironclads. Nothing could be grander than their appearance, but naval experts shook their heads as we passed them, knowing well that, however formidable these splendid men-of-war might have been some dozen years ago, they would stand no chance against the ugly inventions of later times. Next were moored side by side the Black Prince and the Imperieuse, the former an old-fashioned, but very comely, broadside ship, and the latter one of the swift armoured cruisers, which, in time of war, would be invaluable for protecting our commerce. Her engines are of 10,180 horse-power, and she can steam 17 knots an hour. Nor, carrying as she does four 24-ton guns, each throwing 380lb. shots, besides smaller and quick-firing guns, can her armament be thought contemptible. The succeeding pair were the Conqueror and the Collingwood, which represent the most recent ideas in naval architecture. That they are pretty nobody could say, and yet there was an aspect of terrific strength about them that forbade one thinking them insignificant. The Collingwood has four 45-ton guns, each of which hurls a 714lb. shot, six five-ton breech-loaders (100lb. shot), 12 quick-firing guns, and 17 machine guns. An enemy would, therefore, feel inclined to approach her cautiously if she meant mischief. The larger guns of the Collingwood are carried in revolving barbette towers. The Iron Duke and the Sultan succeeded these dreadful monsters, and then came the Inflexible and the Monarch. The former, which carried the flag of Sir George Willes, the Admiral commanding-in-chief, is one of the most formidable vessels afloat. Her sides are protected by 24 inches of steel armour, with 25 inches of backing, and from each of her four 80-ton guns a shot weighing 1700lb. would hurtle forth in time of battle. The Archer and the Mercury, succeeded by the Rattlesnake and Curlew, completed the A squadron. Of these the Rattlesnake deserves particular mention. She is a torpedo gunboat, capable of steaming 19 knots an hour, and, though unarmoured, would be a terrible enemy to encounter. This squadron was under the command of Admiral Sir William Hewett. The B squadron, under Admiral John Baird, was headed by the Edinburgh and the Hercules, the first a turret, and the second a central battery ship. These were succeeded by the Devastation and the Hotspur, the latter a coast service turret ship. The Ajax, whose four guns vomit forth an 818lb. shot at each discharge, was paired with the Invincible; and the Neptune, of much the same strength as the Ajax, with the Rupert, another coast service battery. These were followed by the Shannon (armoured cruiser) and Belleisle (central battery), by the Amphion (unarmoured cruiser) and the Mersey (unarmoured cruiser), and by the Mohawk (torpedo cruiser) and Fearless (torpedo cruiser). Last came the Channel squadron, under Commodore A. H. Markham. This consisted of the Rover (corvette), the Active (corvette), the Calypso (corvette), the Volage (corvette), the Arethusa (unarmoured crusier), and the Inconstant (frigate). These three squadrons represented our line of battle at the present moment if a hostile fleet were to make a sudden attack. Some of the ships were obsolete, and some would be hardly fitted for a yard-to-yard fight. But, taken as a whole, it was a more magnificent show of naval force than any other country in the world could show under the same conditions. Opposite, on the northern side of the Solent, lay a vast multitude of gunboats, torpedo boats, and coast defence ships, arranged in five flotillas. The coast defence ships, though not calculated for warfare on the high seas, were formidable things to encounter. The Glutton, for instance, is an armour-clad turret ship that fires 614lb. shot at any craft meddling with her. The gunboats do not need special description. Their names—Badger, Bouncer, Fidget, Insolent, and Snap may be taken as types—sufficiently tell what their uses would be in warfare. The little boy in "Alice in Wonderland" who sneezes "only to annoy, because he knows it teases," may be taken as a fit exemplar of these small craft; but it must be added that their sneezes would annoy very seriously indeed. Of quite a different appearance are the long and swift torpedo boats, painted a dull slate-colour, and looking innocent and harmless enough. Yet there is an air of mystery and *diablerie* about them that conceals all the insignificance of their aspect. This array of fighting ships on the one side, and coast defence ships on the other, was in itself surprisingly big; but, besides the Queen's navy, craft innumerable filled the Solent. Opposite Ryde a large number of great and small passenger steamers were moored. Mr. Donald Currie had chartered two of his South African steamers, and, as he charged his passengers 10 guineas a head, each steamer must have made within 24 hours as much as she would have made by a voyage to the Cape and back. At the western end of the line are foreign warships—two French, one German, and one Dutch. Just before we had passed down the line, a steam launch, conveying a party of French naval officers and the French Ambassadors, passed swiftly through the fleet. Its occupants were evidently deeply interested in what they saw: and it could be seen that many of the officers were diligently taking notes. I should add that a multitude of pretty yachts flitted between the fleet and the Isle of Wight.

When the whole line had been traversed, the Osborne went on to Cowes, and the Malabar, Crocodile, Euphrates, and Assistance swung round and let go their anchors. And now there was a long interval of waiting, during which the company on board each ship enjoyed the excellent luncheon provided by the Admiralty. The officers were most polite and attentive to their guests. All were dressed in their grandest uniforms—white trousers, cocked hats, and blue dress coats with epaulets. If this attire somewhat reminds one of Captain Crosstree and the pantomime stage, it is, nevertheless, decidedly picturesque, and, as artists say, "telling." The sailors on the transports were all in white trousers and blue jackets, but on the men-of-war they were altogether in white. We were anchored off Norris Castle, the beautiful seat of the Duke of Bedford, and just to the eastward the two flanking towers of Osborne House were visible above the woody slopes.

It had been intended that the Queen should begin the review at 3 o'clock, but it was not till nearly 4 that the Alberta, flying the Royal flag, was seen coming out of Cowes Harbour, preceded by a Trinity House yacht. Opposite Norris Castle the Queen was transferred to the Victoria and Albert, and immediately the procession started on the voyage of inspection. The Trinity yacht led the way, then came the Victoria and Albert, followed by the Royal yachts, Osborne and Alberta, and by H.M.S. Enchantress, Helicon, Euphrates, Crocodile, Malabar, and Assistance. The Victoria and Albert flew the Admiralty flag at the fore, the Royal standard at the main, and the Union Jack at the mizzen. The Osborne had the Prince of Wales' standard and the flag of Greece floating side by side. On board the Victoria and Albert with her Majesty were—the Crown Prince and Princess of Germany, Princesses Victoria Sophie and Margaret of Prussia, the Infante Antonio and Infanta Eulalia of Spain, the Grand Duke of Hesse and Princesses Irene and Alice of Hesse, the Duchess of Edinburgh, Prince Alfred and Princesses Marie Victoria and Alexandra of Edinburgh, Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, Princess Louise (Marchioness of Lorne) and the Marquis of Lorne, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, and Prince and Princess Henry of Battenburg. H.I.M. the Empress Eugenie was likewise on board. The Osborne carried his Majesty the King of Greece, their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Princes Albert Victor and George of Wales, the Princesses Louise, Victoria, and Maud of Wales, the Duke of Braganza, the Duke of Sparta, and the Duke of Cambridge. Her Majesty sat on the bridge of the Victoria and Albert, and could be plainly seen bowing graciously in answer to the cheers which she received on each ship. The Prince of Wales was in an Admiral's uniform.

As the Victoria and Albert entered the broad highway formed by the battle ships on one side and the coast defence ships on the other, each ship saluted with 21 guns. For some minutes the streams of fire and the puffs of white smoke were incessant, but the noise was not as great as might have been expected. In fact, a brisk wind blew from us towards the fleet, and carried the sound away. Of course the very big guns were not used, and indeed only the training squadron fired 6in. guns, the rest using the six-pounder quick-firing Hotchkiss guns. It was during this salute that a sad accident happened on board the Kite gunboat. The bombardier in charge of the gun forgot, in his excitement, to sponge out the breech and consequently the next charge exploded prematurely. Four men had to be taken to the hospital one of whom was so badly burnt that he expired in agony the same night. This was, however, the only accident during the day. As the Queen approached, the sailors manned the yards and shrouds of each masted ship, and lined the sides and turrets of the mastless ironclads. On every ship the marines and marine artillerymen were drawn up on the poop with their arms at the present. The sailors loudly cheered as the Royal yacht passed each ship. After traversing the whole line the Victoria and Albert took a wide circuit, and again entered the fleet between the rows of fighting ships. Half-way down the line the Royal yacht stopped, and the signal was made for the captain of each ship to come on board. Instantly the sea was covered with fussy little steam pinnaces, puffing along at a prodigious rate towards the Victoria and Albert. The captains having all arrived were severally presented to her Majesty, who expressed the very great satisfaction which she had received from the naval display, and from the hearty reception of the crews. She added her hope that the naval evolutions which were to begin on July 25th would not only be useful, but also carried through without accident. The review and the subsequent reception of the commanding officers detained the Royal yachts till nearly 7 o'clock, after which anchors were weighed, and the yachts steamed away to Osborne. As her Majesty left a second salute of 21 guns was fired from each ship, and answered by the forts at Portsmouth. This time I was to leeward of the fleet, and the thunder of the guns was inexpressibly fine. The sound seemed to travel far up into the sky, and to be reverberated there in long-drawn peals. Soon after the Queen had left the following message was signalled from the Admiral's ship, the Inflexible:—"Commanding officers are to convey to officers and men under their command her Majesty's great satisfaction and pride at the magnificent display made by her navy this afternoon."

So far the review had only been enjoyed by privileged guests, but at nightfall the general body of spectators promised themselves a great treat when the fleet was illuminated. And, no doubt, many of the special effects were exceedingly beautiful. In the first place, the whole line of ships, between three and four miles long, was lit up with rows of coloured lamps. The effect was to give an apparently illimitable vista of fires, each of which was, of course, reflected again and again by the dancing waves. Next there was a great display of rockets, Roman candles, and red fires. In truth, the display was too great, for such clouds of smoke were generated that no general effect was obtained. Only here and there could the balls of the Roman candles and the bursting stars of the rockets be discerned through the dense wreaths of smoke. Lastly came what proved to be the most charming display of the evening. All the search-lights of the fleet, each averaging an illuminating power of 25,000 candles, were brought into play at once. The dark Solent was instantly transfigured. Great beams of dazzling light traversed the water in all directions, and when these were thrown on the shore one could see the crowds which lined the beach thrown up into strong relief. So ended the great Naval Review of the Jubilee year.

THE NATIONAL SHIPWRECK RELIEF SOCIETY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent, Mr. Matthews, should make himself better acquainted with facts before he contradicts my assertion as to the formation of this society. I repeat it was formed in July, 1877, after the wreck of the steamer Yarra Yarra. I believe that on more than one occasion attempts had been made, and notably after the loss of the Dandenong, in September, 1876, to form such a society, but they all fell through; and it was not until after the loss of the Yarra Yarra that the matter was accomplished. Mr. J. G. Catley was one of the prime movers, and in company with Captain Broomfield and one or two others they waited on Mr. F. H. Dangar, who not only joined them in the work, but headed the subscription list with the handsome donation of £100, and who collected money from the mercantile houses and banks.

I remember the first meeting of the subscribers held in July, 1877, when a committee was formed, and their first work was to visit the widows and families of those lost in the ill-fated Yarra Yarra. I am, &c.,

J. H. STOREY.

STOOD THE TEST.

Allcock's Porus Plasters have successfully and triumphantly stood the test of many years' use by the public; they have never been equalled by unscrupulous imitators, who have sought to win a part of the reputation of Allcock's by making a plaster with holes in it; and they stand to-day endorsed by not only the highest medical authorities, but by thousands of grateful patients who have proved their efficacy as a household remedy.

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"8, Claremont-terrace, Belfast, August 13, 1885.—Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons.—Gentlemen,—I have just examined and tried the sample of 'Pure Concentrated Cocoa' you sent me a few days since. I find it a very superior article, much better than anything of the kind I have been in the habit of using, easily soluble, free from greasy matter, and of an excellent flavour. Yours very truly, JOHN WOODS BROE, M.D., Master in Surgery."—[ADVT.]

DEPUTATIONS.

THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

A deputation consisting of Messrs. F. D. Mansfield, John Downey, and Westlake, representing 2200 licensees of cabs and other vehicles, waited upon the Minister for Justice yesterday, for the purpose of laying before him certain complaints, which they preferred against Mr. Addison, Stipendiary Magistrate, in the discharge of his duties at the Water Police Court.

Mr. MANSFIELD stated that he was the president of the Sydney and Suburban Cabmen's Protection Union, and had attended nearly every court at which cases affecting cabmen were dealt with, and he had carefully watched the proceedings. On several occasions he had heard licensees who were summoned for a breach of bylaws told by Mr. Addison that he would double the fine if he found them guilty after pleading not guilty. On one occasion he heard Mr. Addison say to a man, "Go on; follow the leader; it will be the worse for you directly"—referring to different men who had pleaded not guilty. He (Mr. Mansfield) had heard a defendant fined 20s. and costs by Mr. Addison before that defendant had tendered a plea. One defendant said "I have a defence," and Mr. Addison replied, "All right; it will be all the worse for you." That occurred in a case brought against Mr. Westlake last Friday. For the last three years Mr. Addison had been in the habit of making such remarks. Some licensees, when they see Mr. Addison on the bench, have their cases postponed.

Mr. WESTLAKE, licensed vanman, stated that he had appeared before Mr. Addison last Friday on a charge of leaving his horse; another man who went with him at the same time to dinner was fined £1, while he (Westlake), because he did not plead guilty, was fined £2 5s.

Mr. JOHN DOWNEY, who also addressed the Minister, declared that every cabman knew that if he went to the Water Police Court, before Mr. Addison, unless he had a very cogent defence indeed, and an able solicitor conducting his case, it was a hundred to one he would get fined.

Mr. CLARKE said their complaints that morning were directed entirely against Mr. Addison as an administrator of justice. He recognised that the statements made were entirely *ex parte*, and he might say that he could scarcely conceive it possible that Mr. Addison would, towards a respectable class of men, earning an honest livelihood, deal out injustice in the manner described. He would promise them that their case would be represented to Mr. Addison, who would be called upon to report upon the specific charges which had been made against him. When that report was received he (Mr. Clarke) would consider it in connection with the statements made, and he would then form his opinion on the matter. The statements made, if there were any truth in them, were certainly of a startling character. He could hardly understand Mr. Addison in a court of justice depriving a cabman of the right to defend his conduct, for it practically came to that when he said, "If you don't plead guilty you will be fined double the amount."

THE NECROPOLIS.

A deputation representing the trustees of the Necropolis, consisting of Mr. Robert Atkins (secretary), Mr. H. E. Cohen, Captain Moodie, and Mr. Crane, waited upon the Minister for Justice yesterday with reference to a communication received from him, informing them that he intended next year to reduce or strike off the Estimates altogether the vote allowed by Parliament for the improvement of the Necropolis. Mr. Atkins intimated that the gentlemen who were present appeared to state, in a sort of informal way, reasons why the vote should not be discontinued or reduced. At the present time the whole of the money obtained was required for the maintenance or improvement of the cemetery.

Mr. CLARKE said he wanted to know something about the improvements. As he understood the cemetery question, the ground was split up into different sections, and each Church or denominational body had a certain area allotted to it. This land was given over free of charge by the Government to these different sections of the Church, who sold the land in allotments of various sizes to those who applied for burial grounds. The different sections of the Church got this money.

Captain MOODIE: We spend it in improving the ground.

Mr. CLARKE: But why do you want to be recouped by the Government for these improvements?

Captain MOODIE: We don't want to be recouped by the Government. The money we get from the Government we spend in the roads and approaches.

Mr. CLARKE: But why do the different sections of the Church not bear the cost of these?

Mr. CRANE: They have not been in a position to do it.

Mr. CLARKE: I must confess on going through the estimates for this year that when I saw the sum of £1000 set down for improving the ground of the Necropolis, I felt very much inclined to strike the amount off. But I feared you might be going on with the expenditure on the supposition that it would be placed on the estimates, so I allowed it to remain, and the amount was voted. In view of the preparation of the estimates for next year, however, I deemed it my duty to make known to you my intentions as regards the grant for next year.

Mr. CRANE said the money was not spent for the benefit of any of the different denominations, but for the sake of the traffic, and the vehicular traffic, he might say, was large. With the money received for the sale of burial-grounds, they had made great improvements. The revenue received was, in fact, all expended upon the ground.

Mr. CLARKE: But why, as each municipality is called upon to maintain its roads, should not the different sections of the church be called upon to keep their paths in repair?

Captain MOODIE: We are not in a position to do it.

Mr. CLARKE: I don't know that; I should like to see the balance-sheets of the different bodies.

Mr. CRANE: The balance-sheets of the different portions of the cemetery have been supplied to you, and must be in the office.

A balance-sheet having been produced,

Mr. CLARKE said he saw that the Church of England had a balance in hand of £195; the Roman Catholic Church, of £760; the Wesleyan body, of £216; the Presbyterian Church, of £1672; the Independent, of £600; and the Jews of £330. These large balances were not confined to one year only, for in 1885 the Roman Catholic Church had a balance of £882, and the Presbyterians of £1875. He (Mr. Clarke) would like to know how the trustees came to allow the scandalous practice of burying the dead within 2ft. of the ground to go on upon a portion of the burial ground, thus creating a public nuisance of a very discreditable character.

Mr. CRANE said that had been done simply by one denomination, the Roman Catholics. Over that portion of the ground the trustees present had no control. They had no right to interfere in any way whatever.

Mr. CLARKE: But you could have drawn attention to the matter, instead of allowing some one outside to do so. This ground is handed over to you by the Government, and you are expected to see that it is managed with a due regard to public decency.

Mr. CRANE: I never saw the nuisance complained of until my attention was drawn to it.

Mr. CLARKE: The objectionable interments were on the part where paupers were buried.

Captain MOODIE: I represent the Presbyterian body, and we have no paupers. All pay for their graves with us.

Mr. COHEN said with regard to the Jews that they had no paupers—all paid alike, and none of their graves were ever re-opened. In no cases were two persons buried in one grave. The small balance standing to the credit of that Church would be quite absorbed it they had to make the roadways. The burial of the dead was a matter of importance to the State, and the Government ought to keep some control over it. The continuance of the subsidy gave the Government a just claim to interfere in anything that took place. It would be a great hardship if the different denominations were asked to contribute towards the maintenance and formation of these roads. The money had always, for a great number of years, been paid cheerfully by successive Governments.

Mr. CRANE pointed out that the Churches had gone to considerable expense in the planting of trees, in ornamenting the ground, and in beautifying the Necropolis.

After some discussion, Mr. Clarke promised to give the matter further consideration. It was not necessary, he said, for him to visit the Necropolis—he was continually passing it—and saw its state. He admitted that it was kept in a very creditable condition; but he was strongly of opinion that the different denominations should pay a *pro rata* for the Necropolis being kept in proper order.

Captain MOODIE drew the attention of the Minister to the fact that streams of storm-water were running over the lower part of the Presbyterian portion of the cemetery, where the poorer people were buried, and the place was a swamp.

Mr. CLARKE said it had been suggested that the Government should resume a strip of land outside the cemetery, and if this were done, the water could be carried to the creek, and no more flooding would take place. Negotiations with regard to this were proceeding.

CONVEYANCE OF MEAT TO SYDNEY MARKET.

A deputation representing the meat trade of the Southern and Western Districts, introduced by Mr. M'Court, M.L.A., waited on the Minister for Public Works this morning, and requested that extra facilities should be given for the conveyance of meat to the Sydney market. It was pointed out that the goods express from Goulburn, which left there at 12.15 a.m. did not arrive in Sydney till 9 a.m., and that it would be necessary in the summer months that it should arrive at 6 a.m. They further considered the freight charges on meat excessive, and that proper meat vans, with fixed hooks for hanging carcase meat, should be provided. They would like to see refrigerating cars for the summer months, such as were said to be used in America with great success. Further, the dues charged at Darling Harbour Market were excessive.

Mr. SUTHERLAND, in reply, said there was no question about the importance of the meat trade, and promised to see that every facility possible would be given to the trade, especially during the summer months. The department had received three different refrigerating cars, one of which was from America, but they were never used. He had now ordered a car to be built in their own workshops, on the best principle, and this would be tested as an experiment. If it were a success others would be made and put into use, but it would not be possible to have any of these till the summer after next. He considered the Darling Harbour Market was the greatest abortion, and would not pay the Government. The Sydney Meat Market had already cost more than £80,000, and it would cost £150,000 more before completed. He would see what could be done in regard to Darling Harbour dues, and would do all he could with the present plant to meet their request.

PERTH TO ROCKLEY RAILWAY.

A deputation, introduced by Mr. F. Jago Smith, M.L.A., waited on the Minister for Public Works yesterday, to urge the early construction of a line of railway from Perth to Rockley, which had already been authorised. It was stated that there were many important industries, especially mining industries, in the district, there being gold, manganese, and other metals, and many kinds of marble. It was also a good agricultural district, and there was abundance of good timber. The line was not a long one, being only 17 miles 11 chains; there were no great engineering difficulties, and the line would be remunerative.

Mr. SUTHERLAND, in reply, said that the estimated cost of the line was £195,000, and that he would get the fullest information about the line and lay it before the Cabinet.

ASHFIELD TO DRUITT TOWN TRAMWAY.

A deputation representing the district between Canterbury and Ashfield, and accompanied by Messrs. Carruthers, Hutchison, and Henson, Ms.L.A., waited on the Minister for Public Works yesterday, in reference to the laying down of a line of tramway from Ashfield to Druitt Town. It was urged that if the tramway were constructed it would be found to pay, and would be a feeder to the railway at or near Ashfield. The people had no means of transport at present, as the roads were too bad for the ordinary vehicular traffic.

Mr. SUTHERLAND, in reply, said the difficulty in the way was the cost of construction, and the cost of maintaining the permanent way. He had no doubt the line would be a great benefit to the district, but it was questionable whether it would be a benefit to the Treasury. The tramways could not be made to pay, even though there was population to justify their being constructed in the respective districts. He would, however, have a trial survey made, and lay the estimate and particulars before the Cabinet.

CABMEN'S GRIEVANCES.

A deputation representing the Cabmen's Society, waited on the hon. the Minister of Justice yesterday morning, for the purpose of setting forth certain grievances. They alleged, among other things, that Mr. Adddison, S.M., often said to defendants in certain cases that if they did not plead guilty he would make it all the worse for them, and double their fines, &c.

The Minister expressed himself as being unable to credit the charge which they brought against Mr. Addison. He said, however, that he would make the necessary inquiries into the matter, and that the deputation might be sure that justice would be done to all.

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The monthly meeting of the Zoological Society of New South Wales was held in the Zoological Gardens yesterday. There were present—Dr. George Bennett, vice-president (chairman); Mr. J. Keep, and Captain Ghest.

The Secretary's report was as follows:—The receipts from the gates for the four weeks ended 1st September amounted to £102 7s. 6d., which represented the admission of 4814 visitors to the gardens, 3376 being adults, and 1438 children; these numbers are exclusive of members and their friends. The receipts from the elephant amounted to £6 12s. 6d., and from the ponies and donkeys to £2 18s. 6d., bringing the total receipts for the four weeks up to £111 18s. 6d. The gardens were also visited by 3356 Public school children, accompanied by 82 teachers. At the last monthly meeting of the society, held on the 5th August, Sir Henry Parkes was unanimously elected president of the society, in the room of the late Mr. Arthur Todd Holroyd, F.Z.S. On the 8th August, in reply to the secretary's notification to him of his election, Sir Henry thanked the council for the honour they had conferred upon him, and stated that it would at all times afford him great pleasure to be of service to the society. In consequence of the continued wet weather, the water in the lower ground is gradually encroaching over all the plantations and flower beds, and many trees and plants have been killed. From a letter received from the town clerk, it appears that a drain could be cut from the lake to the Cleveland-street sewer for the sum of £300, but the drain would have to be carried out at the expense of the society, and under the supervision of the City Council. The most noteworthy donations during the last month were two pair of kagus (Rhinochetus jubatus), a bird peculiar to New Caledonia. One pair was sent by Mr. John Morgan, of Noumea, and the other pair by Mr. N. Hagen, also of Noumea. On referring to Dr. Sclater's "List of the Vertebrates of the Zoological Gardens of London," it appears that only four birds had been received alive in the London Zoo. The first bird, a male, was presented to that society on April 25, 1862, by our senior vice-president, Dr. George Bennett, F.Z.S.; the second, a female, was also presented by the same gentleman; the third was presented by the late Acclimatisation Society of Sydney, on April 19, 1866; and the fourth bird was purchased by the London society, on February 5, 1867. The kagu belongs to the same family as the eurypygidæ, the sun bitterns of South America. The kagu are now very difficult to procure alive, in consequence of their having been nearly exterminated by the settlers of New Caledonia. The birds have been let loose in the gardens, and can now be seen basking themselves in the sunshine on the margin of the lake, or in the flower beds, and, when hungry, digging with their powerful beaks in the ground for worms.

The following donations were acknowledged:—Black swan, presented by G. Stacey; galar parrot and an opossum, presented by W. H. Floyd, Cleveland-street; scrub turkey, presented by G. W. Johnston, Redfern-street; echidna, presented by J. A. Holmes, Camperdown; Wallaroo, young kangaroo, and a morepork, presented by Mrs. W. M. Jackson, Manly Beach; opossum, presented by H. C. Fugill, Surry Hills; slow-worm, presented by B. White, Surry Hills; two kagus (New Caledonia), presented by N. Hagen, Noumea; two kagus, presented by John Morgan, Noumea; seven bags shells, presented by J. R. Hill, Vaucluse. Three snakes were purchased by the society.

Mr. Powell, superintendent of the gardens, reported the health of the animals and birds to be good, the only casualties being the death of the Malayan bear and one of the Japanese squirrels.

On the motion of Captain Ghest, seconded by Mr. Keep, it was resolved that in future committee meetings be held fortnightly instead of weekly, as heretofore.

The meeting then terminated.

BISCUITS v. PROTECTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It seems an anomaly for two separate protectionist advocates to champion an industry created and carried to a successful issue under a free-trade tariff. Mr. Arnott is silent as to whether or not he objects to his champions; but that he has no need of them is evident from the fact that independently of protection his business has succeeded, and having created his own success it is quite possible that he is capable of being the champion of his own cause. These advocates could not produce better or more self-evident testimony than that the energy, thrift, and success of a man is not regulated by the tariff under which the country in which he lives derives its revenue. Both your correspondents most clearly point to the fact that the success or non-success of any industry is not governed by the Custom house, but by individual effort.

Biscuit making is not a new industry to this colony, nor does Mr. Arnott enjoy a monopoly; many years before protection became a cry raised by self-interested persons, it was an established industry. The present School of Arts in Pitt-street is built partly over the site of a most successful biscuit factory. Although the colony has never been under a protection regime, this industry has flourished solely and simply by the production of what the people required. In form, substance, and appearance, the biscuits are made pleasing to the eye and agreeable to the palate, and in all respects a public want is satisfied. Had these requirements been unsatisfied, this industry within the colony would never have been successful, because no amount of Customs duty short of absolute prohibition would prevent the importation of biscuits that would be accepted by the public. The public have certain tastes which they will gratify regardless of cost; if colonial energy and industry cannot satisfy that demand the public will go where they can get what is to them satisfactory.

In all countries there are waves of depression and expansion, industries cannot be made to be always in expansion, whether by a policy of protection or freetrade. Advocates of protection try their level best to make the public believe that under a protective policy any industry can be forced, this is one of their greatest errors. The wave of depression which is overshadowing the colony at this time is not the result of free trade or for the want of protection. A protective policy would not create a wave of expansion, nothing but increase demand would do so. The thousand and one established industries in this colony are the outcome of a free trade policy, consequently as they are built up by individual exertion they are on a sound basis. Every person in New South Wales has about 200 acres of land upon which to establish a business, with £520 public and private wealth. Instead of suggesting an increase of duty on any one article, protectionists might combine with freetraders and agree to invite two persons to share the ample bounty of land and wealth that one person now possesses, and in that manner create a wave of expansion by increased demand for increased requirements. I am, &c.,

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

In Banco.—(Before their Honors Mr. Justice FAUCETT, *Mr. Justice* INNES, *and Mr Justice* DEFFELL.)

STOKES (RESPONDENT) V. HART AND OTHERS (APPELLANTS) (PART HEARD.)

For the plaintiffs, there were Mr. C. B. Stephen and Mr. Heydon (instructed by Mr. Brown, of Newcastle); and the defendants were represented by Mr. Salomons, Q.C., and Mr. Rogers (instructed by Messrs. Allen and Allen).

The plaintiff was Charles Frederick Stokes and the defendants, C. H. Hart, H. Walters, and C. M. Todd, trading as John Hart and Co. This was a second hearing of the appeal, owing to the death of the late Sir James Martin. In the original action a verdict had been given for plaintiff for £673 15s., and defendants now appealed. The action was brought by the plaintiff, who was in business in Newcastle, against the defendants, who were flour merchants at Adelaide, to recover damages for breach of contract relating to a transaction in flour. The flour was to be supplied through plaintiff to a contractor with the French Government in New Caledonia. It was contended that defendants agreed to supply to the plaintiff such quantity of fine flour as might be required by that Government at the price of £8 15s. per ton, to be delivered in certain quantities and at certain times. Plaintiff contended that defendants did not supply the necessary quantity, but only a small portion of it, and that in consequence he was compelled to purchase flour at a much higher price than that agreed upon, and was put to expense in preparing to take delivery and keeping ships and vessels to receive it.

The arguments of counsel for respondent were continued and brought to a conclusion; and Mr. Salomons replied on behalf of the appellants.

Judgment was reserved.

(Before their Honors Mr. Justice FAUCETT *and Mr. Justice* INNES.)

PHILLIPS V. GREENHILL.

Mr. Field, instructed by Mr. Castle, appeared on behalf of plaintiff to move for a rule nisi to set aside the decision of Mr. District Court Judge Wilkinson in the above case, heard on the 26th August last, in which plaintiff sought to recover £30 for the loss of certain building material. The Judge decided that the case having, in his opinion, been tried already at the Police Court, he must uphold the defendant's plea of judgment recovered, though plaintiff swore that it was a different cause of action. The rule nisi was asked for on the grounds—(1) that his Honor was in error in holding that the Police Court plaint disclosed the same cause of action as the District Court plaint: (2) that upon the whole evidence given in the case the plaintiff was in law entitled to a verdict.

The application was adjourned until Friday next.

WAY V. AUSTRALIAN PICTURESQUE ATLAS COMPANY.

On the application of Mr. Nash this motion on behalf of defendant company for a rule nisi for a new trial which had already been before the Court was further adjourned until Friday next.

Jury Court.—(Before his Honor the CHIEF JUSTICE *and a jury of four.)*

BRADLEY V. SMALL.

Upon the application of Dr. Donovan, the case of Bradley v. Small, which was struck out yesterday, was restored to the list, and placed for Tuesday next.

ABBOTT AND ANOTHER V. COLEMAN.

Mr. Ralston (instructed by Mr. G. J. Barry) was for plaintiff, and Dr. Sly (instructed by Mr. Burcher) appeared for defendant.

The plaintiffs were Joseph Palmer Abbott and John O'Connor, formerly practising in partnership as solicitors at Narrabri, Gunnedah, and Sydney, and the defendant was William James Coleman, of Narrabri. The suit was one to recover a bill of costs amounting to £59 13s. 7d., for work done in the year 1881. The plaintiff O'Connor produced his bill, but stated that most of the work was performed by one Alfred Carter, who was his managing clerk at Narrabri. Witness went to the office at Narrabri once a month, or sometimes it might be three times a month, to give instructions to his clerk, and frequently had consultations with clients there. His partner, Mr. J. P. Abbott, attended to the Sydney business.

Dr. Sly at this stage applied for a non-suit upon the ground that, as the office at Narrabi was really conducted by a clerk, who was not a solicitor, the plaintiff could not recover his bill. Counsel quoted the case of Hopkinson v. Smith in 1 Bingham's reports, page 13, where it was decided that an attorney could not recover a charge for conducting a suit in which the party charged had not had the benefit of the attorney's judgment and superintendence. In this instance a branch business at Wakefield was under the superintendence of a clerk named Berry, and the solicitor used to go over once a week. After argument,

His HONOR said he must refuse the nonsuit. In Hopkinson v. Smith it appeared that a late managing clerk named Berry conducted the business of the office, and gave the attorney Hopkinson one-third of the profits "for going over once a week to show his face." The present case, however, was a different one. His Honor quite agreed that the practice of placing clerks in full charge of an office was inconvenient and highly improper. But in 1881 and 1883 it had not, he thought, come under the notice of the Judges. Some case arose which did bring the practice under their notice, and they then said it was highly improper. At the time of these transactions, however, it was the usual custom. A solicitor, say in Maitland, would have an office conducted by a managing clerk at Newcastle. But apparently there was no difference in the present case with the practice in large Sydney offices, where managing clerks took charge of different branches. One managing clerk would have charge of the equity branch, another of the conveyancing branch, and another of the common-law branch. They were generally gentlemen of great experience and skill. The clients saw them, gave them instructions, and the managing clerks carried out the business, although the principals were responsible; but in the great majority of cases the principals never saw one single particular of the business which was transacted. Take the managing conveyancing clerks of some of these legal firms. They were skilled conveyancers. Conveyances were drafted by them; they were engrossed in the office, and the probability was that the principals never saw them; and if the principal did see them, he would not, probably, be half so competent to say whether they were proper conveyances under the circumstances, as the managing clerk whose whole lifetime might have been devoted to that particular business. It would be a hard thing if a solicitor brought an action to say, "You know nothing of this deed." He would be asked, say, "Did you see it? Was it prepared in your office?" And he might answer, "Yes: it was prepared in my office by my managing clerk, who has had 30 years' experience, and is a first-class conveyancer; but I relied on him, and know nothing about it myself." It would be a hard thing for a Judge in such a case to turn round and say, "I cannot give you your bill, as you know nothing of the business." Nothing he said, however, would, he hoped, be considered as approving of the course pursued in this case, which, as he had said, was an inconvenient and improper one; still the plaintiff, O'Connor, seemed to have given a large amount of attention to the branch office at Narrabri, which was carried on by a managing clerk. He visited it several times a month, and superintended the business. This client had seen him. Certain deeds referred to in the bill appeared to have been engrossed by Carter, who was no doubt competent to do the work, and they had been sent down to Sydney, had been lodged with the Registrar, and had never been found fault with.

Mr. Ralston remarked that with regard to the practice of managing clerks taking charge of branch offices he believed that this was the case which was brought to the notice of the Judges; but so soon as an opinion was expressed the firm shut up the office, and that was how the business at Narrabri ended.

His HONOR said that in 1881 the practice was common, and it was openly done, and everyone knew that it was done. For the reasons he had stated he should refuse a non-suit.

Evidence was then given with regard to the details of the bill of costs. Plaintiff O'Connor said he had frequent interviews with defendant, and himself gave instructions on various matters. The delay in bringing the suit into court was owing to the difficulties in regard to the winding up of the partnership between the plaintiffs. A large number of the items in the bill were for money out of pocket.

The defendant was examined at length, and pleaded that he had paid accounts to the amount of £39 16s., which was ample to cover all money due to the plaintiff. Arrangements that the work should be done for a given sum were made in relation to business for which detailed charges were now made.

The plaintiff O'Connor was recalled and denied all knowledge of any special agreements. Sums mentioned by the defendant as having been paid were given in payment for other work than that charged.

The jury found for the plaintiff in the sum of £44 11s. 9d. His HONOR gave a verdict for this amount subject to taxation in the usual manner.

In Chambers—(Before his Honor the CHIEF JUSTICE.)

IN RE THE LILIAN.

Mr. M'Laughlin appeared on behalf of George Frederick, master of the steamer Lilian, and applied for a rule nisi for a prohibition directed to Captain Fisher, S.M., and Isaac Lee, J.P., calling upon them to show cause why they should not be restrained from further proceeding upon an order made by Captain Fisher convicting applicant, and imposing a fine of £5 for not delivering up his certificate upon demand of the Marine Board. The grounds of the application were—(1) That the proceedings before the Marine Board were irregular, inasmuch as no evidence had been given sufficient to uphold or justify the order made by them cancelling the applicant's certificate on an alleged charge of default causing the loss of the Lilian; (2) that authority under seal of the Marine Board had not been given to institute the prosecution; and (3) that no offence had been disclosed in the information, inasmuch as no date was alleged upon which the demand and refusal took place.

His HONOR granted the rule on the second and third grounds. With regard to the first, his Honor thought that, though the Marine Board were perhaps wrong, the magistrate had no jurisdiction to inquire into it, and that a separate application could be made, if the applicant so desired, against the Marine Board itself.

(Before his Honor Mr. Justice INNES.)

IN RE HOP SING.

Mr. Rogers, instructed by Mr. T. A. Shorter, appeared for the appellant, to move for an order to set aside the conviction of Hop Sing, upon a charge of illegally slaughtering pigs. Mr. Pring, instructed by the Crown solicitor, appeared in support of the conviction. It appeared that on the 16th August last the defendant, who is a market gardener residing at Botany, was charged at Redfern, before Mr. Whittingdale Johnson, S.M., on the information of Sub-inspector Potter, with having on the 25th day of July last, at a place situated at Botany, caused to be slaughtered five pigs intended for sale, such place not being licensed as directed by law. Defendant pleaded not guilty. According to the evidence called in his behalf it appeared that another Chinaman, named Lung Lee, who is a butcher, residing at Redfern, brought to the applicant's place, on or about the 26th July, five pigs, and asked permission from the defendant to kill them upon his premises, which Hop Sing granted. Lung Lee then killed, dressed, and cleaned them there, and conveyed them to his shop at Redfern for sale. Lung Lee was subsequently charged with slaughtering the pigs within a distance of three miles from Sydney, and Hop Sing and others gave evidence at the Police Court. The case against Lung Lee, however, broke down, and the police then proceeded against Hop Sing under the first section of the Act 5 William IV., and the magistrate, after hearing evidence, convicted the defendant, and fined him £50, being at the rate of £10 per head, the penalty provided by the 1st section of the Act for "each and every head of cattle so slaughtered." Against this decision the defendant now appealed.

Mr. Rogers submitted, in the first place, that appellant did not come in any way within the meaning of the Act 5 William IV.; and, even supposing that the Act did apply, appellant did not cause these cattle to be slaughtered for his own benefit under the 1st section, and "for purposes of sale or barter," which, he contended, meant for sale by the person killing the pigs. He also submitted that the word "cattle" did not include pigs. Appellant did not know what Lung Lee was going to do with the pigs. All that he knew was that Lung Lee was a butcher at Redfern, and that the police there would not allow him to slaughter the animals in that suburb. In the Act 14 Victoria, No. 30 (Cattle Slaughtering Prevention Act), provision was made for slaughtering any animal within certain limits, and in that Act the term "animal" included pigs and everything else, but that Act was not intended to apply to any place outside the distance of one mile from the limits of such town or place to which the provisions of that Act extended. In order to show that appellant came under the Act 5, William IV., section 1, it must be shown that the word "cattle" included pigs.

His HONOR said he thought there was abundant evidence that the pigs were intended for sale.

Mr. Pring, in reply, contended that pigs were cattle within the meaning of the Act. They must consider the scope of the Act, and that the Legislature evidently intended to prevent anything being slaughtered within a certain distance of any town, and which might prove a nuisance and detrimental to health.

Mr. Rogers having replied, his Honor reserved his decision until Monday.

(Before his Honor the CHIEF JUSTICE.)

PROBATE.

Mr. Browning applied to his Honor and obtained probate of the will of the late John Hudson Keys, formerly a squatter of Bengalla. The estate was sworn under £49,947, and the acting executors were Mr. R. T. Keys, Mr. J. B. Keys, the Rev. J. D. Langley, and Mr. A. B. Chisholm.

Mr. Browning made an application in the estate of Wm. Rose, late of North Shore. It seems that letters of administration were granted on February 23, 1880. On February 2, 1883, there was a rule of court passed by which no administrator could sell land without the consent of the court. The administratrix in this estate did sell the land in February, 1884, without leave of the court, to one James Granter, who was now trying to sell again. In order to complete his title it was necessary to obtain the sanction of the court to the sale made to him. The application was granted.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—FRIDAY.

(Before the Registrar, Mr ARTHUR HENRY.)

FIRST MEETINGS.

Re William N. Bennison, a first meeting. No debts were proved.

Re W. N. and F. G. Bennison. One debt was proved.

Re Anthony Gorman. No debts were proved.

THIRD MEETINGS.

Re George Frederick Law, a third meeting. Two debts were proved, the report of the official assignee was filed, and directions were given that insolvent be allowed his furniture and tools of trade.

Re Charles Ah Lum. Two debts were proved, and the report of the official assignee was read.

Re Henry Edmund Southey. Four debts were proved, the report of the official assignee was read, and directions were given that insolvent be allowed his furniture.

Re James Conley. One debt was proved, and the report of the official assignee read.

Re Herbert Augustus Bush. Four debts were proved, the report of the official assignee was read, and the meeting was adjourned till Wednesday next.

SECOND MEETINGS.

Re John M'Williams, a second meeting. One debt was proved. The insolvent was directed to file a statement under Rule 20.

Re Samuel and Martin Bardsley. The insolvent Samuel Bardsley intimated that he wished to amend Part D of his schedule, with respect to the amount of wages owing to employees, and the insolvent Martin Bardsley also expressed a desire to amend his schedule. The insolvent Samuel Bardsley was examined by Mr. Pring, on behalf of the official assignee. S. Bardsley deposed that he, with his brother, was carrying on the business of a soap manufacturer about 15 months prior to sequestration; Moses Bardsley was his father; he was not carrying on the business before witness took it; he was doing nothing before the two sons commenced business; after the two sons commenced business their father was in their employ, receiving 30s. per week; he was entered on the schedule at £4 per week; their father started business in June or July, 1886, on the same piece of ground on which the two sons were carrying on business; the two businesses were distinct; Moses Bardsley continued to carry on business until November last; after November he disposed of his business to his two sons, and continued to be their working manager; Storer and Co. were large creditors in the insolvent estate; witness remembered sending in November a letter, signed by his father, his brother, and himself, stating that they intended to blend their business; their father was not in the business at the date of sequestration; witness was not aware that his father had any means beyond the salary he received from the two sons; witness was not aware that he and his brother obtained credit on the strength of his father being in the partnership; on November 4th or 6th, the two sons took over their father's works, and he was to become their working manager; the purchase money (£350) was unpaid; although witness and his brother took over their father's works in November the agreement respecting the transfer was dated December, 31st, 1886; the two sons were in partnership for a time with T. W. Burnett (a creditor), but the partnership was dissolved in March last, since which time Burnett was an employee of the firm, receiving £3 a week; during the period in which the greater part of the debts were incurred, Burnett was a partner. The witness was also examined as to the transactions of himself and his brother with their father.

Re Mary Rose. No debts were proved.

Re Evan Evans. Ten debts were proved.

SINGLE MEETINGS.

Re Louis Malcolm Keyzor, a single meeting. The report of the official assignee was filed.

Re William Henry Carter. The insolvent did not attend. Three debts were proved, and the meeting was adjourned till Saturday, 3rd instant.

Re John Armstrong. The report of the official assignee was filed.

SPECIALS FOR PROOF.

Re Mato Malen. One debt was proved.

Re Joseph Earl Mitchell. Two debts were proved.

SURRENDERS.

Donald M'Donell, jun., of Woolla Woolla, near Taree, farmer. Liabilities, £191 0s. 6d.; assets, £39. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

Maurice Hennessy, of Carcoar, labourer. Liabilities, £61 1s. 1d.; assets, £20 5s. 6d. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

William Barr, of Deniliquin, kangaroo-hunter, formerly a publican. Liabilities, £103 19s.; assets, £25.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.—FRIDAY.

(Before his Honor Mr. Justice STEPHEN.)

Mr. E. Barton, assisted by Mr. Harris, appeared on behalf of the Crown.

THE CASTLEREAGH-STREET TRAGEDY.

The case against Henry Borsboom, who was arraigned upon an indictment charging him with having, on the 8th June, 1887, at Sydney, feloniously and maliciously murdered Eliza Borsboom, was continued.

Mr. Buchanan, instructed by Mr. Roberts, sen., appeared on behalf of the prisoner.

Mr. Barton addressed the jury at considerable length on behalf of the Crown, and in dealing with the evidence dwelt upon facts immediately preceding and following the commission of the crime. He contended that the case was not merely one of suspicion, but that the evidence pointed unmistakeably in one direction, and all tended to confirm the guilt of the prisoner. He directed the attention of the jury to that portion of the evidence which showed that the deceased, instead of showing in any way that she intended to commit suicide, had expressed her intention to live—and to live away from the prisoner. He pointed out that the prisoner had made contradictory statements respecting the occurrence, and the evidence respecting the position in which the deceased was found after death pointed to the conclusion that she did not fire the fatal shot. Finally, he dwelt upon the improbability of a woman committing suicide with such a weapon as a revolver.

His HONOR, in commencing to sum up upon the evidence, said he would like to say, before going into the case, that he felt a satisfaction in one way at the jury on the previous day having determined upon hearing the case out, because whatever the result of their verdict might be—whether they remained of the same opinion which of course every one presumed they entertained on the previous evening, or whether they had since arrived at a different opinion—he thought they would see that they had adopted the right course. To their credit this might be said, because if their verdict now was different to that which was anticipated on the previous evening, they would no doubt have come to the conclusion that the verdict they would have returned on the previous day would have been a mistake. If, on the other hand, they still remained of the same opinion, then there would be the satisfaction that they had arrived at that conclusion after having heard all that could be said against the prisoner, that the matter had been seriously considered, and that they had arrived at their decision after having given that deliberation which was demanded by such an important case. His Honor then proceeded to deal with the case. In the first place, he pointed out what the duty of a jury would be where the circumstances of a case amounted to only suspicion. Suspicious circumstances were utterly inadequate for the conviction of a prisoner. The case before them was either one of suicide on the part of the deceased, or of murder on the part of the prisoner. The question was one which the jury would have to determine, but suspicion alone was not sufficient grounds for them to convict the prisoner. What they had to determine was, whether the guilt of the prisoner was the only rational conclusion to which the circumstances of the case would allow them to arrive at. Having explained the law in its bearing upon the case, his Honor went on to explain that it had been shown by the evidence given by the doctors that it was possible for the deceased to have committed suicide. It was for them to say, with the questions of murder and suicide presented to them, whether, under all the circumstances, the probabilities weighed so strongly against the prisoner that his guilt was the only rational conclusion to which they could arrive. If they entertained any reasonable doubt about the matter, it would be necessary for them to give the prisoner the benefit of that doubt. They had again to consider what, if any, motive the prisoner might have had to kill his wife. Then they had to consider the statement he made respecting himself, that he had expressed an intention to kill himself in order to frighten his wife, and then they would have to consider what motive could have influenced the unfortunate woman to commit suicide. It was for the jury to say whether any adequate motive had been shewn on the part of the prisoner to murder his wife, or whether there had been any motive or cause to induce the unfortunate woman—in the prime of life, and retiring to bed in good spirits—to leave the world by her own act, to murder herself and leave not only her husband, but her young child, who lay sleeping in a cot near the bed at the time. In conclusion, his Honor read the evidence to the jury, and called their attention to the salient points of the case.

Before the jury retired, Mr. Hamlet, Government Analyst, at the request of one of the jurymen, again entered the witness box, and was further examined by a juror, in reply to whose questions he stated that in his opinion the composition of the smear found upon the deceased's hand was practically the same as that composition which had produced the stain upon the sheet; if the stain upon the sheet was caused by the revolver being wiped upon it, the probability was that the smear upon the hand of the deceased also came from the weapon; if the revolver was fired in a confined space—that was to say, covered with something—it might have produced discolouration.

The jury retired to consider their verdict at 3 o'clock, and as they had not arrived at a decision at 7 o'clock they were locked up until 9 o'clock. At 9 o'clock his Honor returned, and the jury were called into Court. The foreman then stated that they had not agreed upon a verdict, and that they were not likely to agree upon a verdict. They were then locked up until 9 o'clock on the following morning.

ALLEGED FALSE PRETENCES.

William Thompson, a young man, was arraigned upon an indictment, charging him with having, on the 5th of August, at Annandale, falsely pretended to Elizabeth Stallwood that a certain piece of paper purporting to be a cheque drawn by Tabrett and Draper upon the Commercial Banking Company of Newtown for the payment to bearer of the sum of £5 8s. was a genuine order, by means of which false pretence he obtained from Elizabeth Stallwood the sum of £1 with intent to defraud. The prisoner was undefended. The case was conducted by Mr. Harris. The evidence adduced on behalf of the Crown was to the effect that the accused on the date mentioned called at a shop which was kept by the complainant and her husband, and, stating that his sister was ill, and that he wanted to get a doctor for her; presented the cheque, which he said he had received as a fortnight's pay, and asked for the loan of some money upon it until the following day; the accused was a stranger to Mrs. Stallwood, but he stated that he lived close by her premises, and was employed by the firm by whom the cheque was drawn; believing his story, and also that the cheque was a genuine one, she advanced him £1 upon it; the accused, when taking the money, promised to repay it on the following day, and take the cheque again; he failed to call on the following day, and on the cheque being subsequently presented at the bank it was found to be valueless; the accused had in the meantime been arrested, and two other cheques were found in his possession. The accused addressed the jury at considerable length, setting up the defence that the case as far as he was concerned was one of mistaken identity—that he was not the person who called at Mrs. Stallwood's shop and presented the cheque.

His HONOR, in summing up, after having called attention to the salient points of the evidence, pointed out in dealing with the question of false pretence, that there was to his mind an insufficiency of proof by the Crown that the accused possessed a guilty knowledge. He commented upon the fact that neither Mr. Tabrett nor Mr. Draper had been called by the Crown to give any evidence in the case, notwithstanding the fact that the accused stated to Mrs. Stallwood that he was in their employment, and received the cheque as a fortnight's wages. The evidence had failed to prove that the accused knew the cheque to be valueless when he presented it at the shop.

The jury then retired to consider their verdict. During their absence a conversation of a private nature took place between the Crown Prosecutor (Mr. Harris) and the Judge, and immediately afterwards his Honor, addressing the accused, who was in the dock, said "the Crown has consented in this case to do what is called, "withdraw a juror." It is not an acquittal, understand; but if you consent to it, the Crown promises not to try you again upon the charge. I understand there are other charges against you; but that is another thing.

Crown Prosecutor: One charge, your Honor.

His HONOR: There is, I understand, one other charge against you. Do you consent to the withdrawal of the juror?

Accused: I do consent, your Honor.

The jury were then called into Court, and his HONOR, addressing them, said:—"The prisoner has consented to relieve you of any further trouble, and the result is that the prisoner will not be put upon his trial on this charge again. One gentleman must please leave the box. Its merely a formal matter."

One juryman then left the jury box.

Another Juryman: We had arrived at a decision, your Honor.

His HONOR: Its a pity you did not let us know that before.

The accused, who was not on bail and against whom there was another charge, was remanded to his former custody.

The Court at 9 p.m. adjourned until 9 o'clock on the following morning.

We have been requested to state that jurymen will not be required to attend the court before half-past 10 o'clock on Monday morning.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

Prothonotary's Office.—Cmss v. Goode, 10.30.

POLICE.

Mr. Clarke, S.M., presided at the CENTRAL POLICE COURT yesterday morning. James Ryan, 20, tinsmith, for having stolen a bell valued at 3s. 6d., the property of Peter Wallace, was sentenced to 14 days' hard labour. Elizabeth Clarke, 18, no occupation, was sent to gaol for a month as an idle and disorderly person. On the Summons side, before Mr. Yates, D.S.M., Inspector Mackay proceeded against a large number of defendants. Amelia Penn and Bridget Johnson were fined £3 and 4s. 10d. costs, with the alternative of three months' imprisonment, for having used obscene language. Jane Souls, for having used indecent language, was fined £5 and costs, with the option of three months' hard labour. George Creaines and John Macbeth, for having consumed liquor in an hotel at unlawful hours, were fined respectively 10s. 6d. and 15s. 6d., with the alternative of two days' and three days' imprisonment. Belinda Petersen, the licensee of the Forester's Home Hotel, Buckingham-street, was fined £5, with 5s. 6d. costs, in default of payment six weeks' imprisonment, for Sunday selling. Alice Jane Rose and Isabella Shaw were fined £3 and costs, with the option of two months' hard labour, for having used obscene language. William J. Shepherd, landlord of the Black Swan Hotel, Haymarket, for a breach of the Licensing Act, was mulct to the extent of £3 5s. 6d.; in default of payment, one month's imprisonment. Augustus Johnson and Lazarus Hixon, who had been found drinking on the abovenamed premises, were fined 15s. 6d. Richard Reeves, for having illtreated a horse, was fined £1 and costs. Catherine Hughes, a woman of ill repute, was sentenced to three months' hard labour. Notice of appeal was given.

Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., presided at the Charge Branch of the WATER POLICE COURT. Catherine Ferdinand was fined 40s., with the option of one month's imprisonment, for using indecent language in the Domain. She was further fined 10s. for drunkenness in the same place. Walter Smart, a cabinetmaker, was, on remand, charged with having forged the name of B. Mahoney to a cheque for £26, and with having uttered the same to Francis Foy, draper, Oxford-street, with intent to defraud. The accused, who had at one time been in the employment of Mr. Mahoney, stated that he had picked up the cheque at Randwick, while on his way to the racecourse. His Worship committed him for trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions. Bail was allowed. Mr. J. M. Marsh, S.M., dealt with the business in the Summons Division of the court. Charles Clark, James Edwards, and Robert Fuller were each fined £3, and ordered to pay 5s. costs, or to be imprisoned for one month, for having their premises in a filthy condition. Edward Peat, for driving without a light, was mulcted in a penalty of 10s. and costs, or four days' imprisonment. A fine of £3 was imposed upon Norah Ah Toy for using obscene language in a public place.

Mr. T. K. Abbott, S.M., presided in the NEWTOWN POLICE COURT. Emily Collins and Sarah Elms, young women, each of about 18 years of age, pleaded guilty to a charge of having each of them abandoned her infant on a night in the early part of last month. The prisoner Collins is a widow, and Elms is a single girl, of respectable parents. They were arrested on Tuesday last by Detectives Greaves and Roche, who tendered evidence that on the night in question it was raining heavily, and the prisoners together went out to Ashfield with the children, whom they deposited outside of the gate of the Infants' Home. The cries of the little ones brought out one of the nurses, who picked them up and took them into the institution. From information received the detectives first arrested Collins in the Haymarket, after which the apprehension of Elms readily followed. Both of them were committed for trial at the next sittings of the Metropolitan Quarter Sessions. William Alderson, the driver of a milkcart, was fined £5, with the alternative of two months' imprisonment, for negligent driving on August 16, which resulted in a child of Mrs. Jane Jones, of 90, Missenden-road, being knocked down and badly hurt.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND SYNOD.

FOURTH DAY.

The Synod of the Diocese of Sydney resumed its sittings yesterday, at the Chapter-house, the Primate presiding.

The PRESIDENT announced the receipt of a letter from the secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, conveying a cordial invitation from the board to all members of the synod to visit and use the rooms of the association during their stay in the city. It was ordered that the invitation be acknowledged, with thanks.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

The PRESIDENT, in reply to the Rev. Mervyn Archdall's question,—whether the decisions of the Ecclesiastical Courts in England are legally binding upon the United Church of England and Ireland in this colony; and if not, to what laws (if any) is the said church amenable?—said that as this was a question of legal obligation, he was unable to give an authoritative answer, since, so far as he was informed, no decision had ever been pronounced upon it in the Courts of this colony. He could only suppose generally that as they were recognised as members of the Church of England they would be held to be subject to the laws of the Church in England, as they had been interpreted there by authority, and to the provisions of their own constitutions, so far as these might deal with matters not laid down in that law.

The PRESIDENT, in reply to the Rev. S. S. Tovey's question, as to how many certificates of architectural fitness, &c., have been issued to the promoters of church buildings by the diocesan building surveyors, since the appointment of the latter in the year 1885, said that he was afraid that this had been done in only two or three instances.

THIRD READINGS.

The following ordinances were read the third time and passed:—To amend in certain particulars the Presentation Ordinance of 1886; to accept determination No. 1, General Synod, session 1886; to accept determination No. 2, General Synod, session 1886; rules for filling vacancies in synod; to increase the number of laymen in the Chapter of St. Andrew's Cathedral.

SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT.

On the motion of Archdeacon KING, it was resolved that the synod at its rising should adjourn to 7 p.m. on Monday next.

THE REREDOS.

The adjourned debate on Mr. Crane's motion for the removal of the reredos from St. Andrew's Cathedral was resumed.

The Rev. A. YARNOLD began his remarks by avowing himself a member of a party—the party which was in favour of lawful liberty. If the Homilies were authoratative expositions of the teaching of the Church on this subject, as was claimed by Mr. Archdall, they would have to be taken as authoratative on every subject, but he would ask the members of the synod whether they would be prepared to accept the teachings of the Homilies on the subjects of fasting and the sacraments? (Hear, hear.) And as to their authority upon the subject of debate, he quoted from a judgment of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, and a decision of Lord Penzance, to show that the teachings of the Homilies were inapplicable. The objects against which this attack was directed were legally in their place, having been approved and justified by the decision of the highest authorities. As to the resolution before the synod, he pointed out that they were asked to allow certain members to prepare an address, asking for a certain thing to be done, without the synod having any part in the preparation of this address, or even seeing it at all, while the names of those who were to prepare the address were the names of citizens who, year after year, came before the public in connection with certain 12th of July celebrations. (Applause, dissent, and cries of "Orangemen.") The first name on the list was that of the clerical grand master of the Orange Institution. (Interruption.)

The Rev. J. H. PRICE rose to a point of order, whether a reference to an organisation outside this Diocesan Synod was permissible.

The PRESIDENT said that he certainly could not stop the mouths of members of the synod. (Hear, hear.) Of course, he did not express any opinion as to whether the reference was desirable, but it was quite in order.

Mr. YARNOLD continued: He asked the members of the synod whether it was not a fair inference from the wording of the resolution that it implied censure on the chapter and on the bishop of the diocese—(applause, and cries of "no no")—for doing that which the law allowed them to do, and of which they alone should be regarded as the best judges of the expediency of so doing. They were asked to support this resolution for the sake of "peace." It was possible to make a desolation and call that "peace." (Hear, hear.) There were some things which men valued more than peace, and if it were a question between peace and liberty, he for one would choose liberty. (Hear, hear.) He did not believe that the existence of the reredos had tended to create idolatry, but even if so, the Anglo-Saxon race still valued liberty so much as to put up with a certain amount of necessary evil to retain it. If there was anything illegal in the erection and retention of this reredos, he would have been one of those who demanded its removal. He cared nothing for the retention of a mere piece of sculptured stone, but he did care for the lawful liberties of the members of the Church. (Hear, hear.) This was a struggle for liberty; and it could not be disguised that if this movement were successful, the party which was supporting it would soon make another attempt upon the liberties of the Church. They must stand up for the inherited rights and privileges of the Church of England. He appealed to the Bishop and to the chapter not as the guardians of the reredos, but as the guardians of their liberties, and urged them to stand by the law. There would soon rise up churchmen and churchwomen who would thank the present synod for defending their liberties. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. W. J. FOSTER considered that the rights and liberties of members of the Church of England were at stake in this case. As to whether what had been done was lawful, certain of the members of the synod had come forward to declare that certain things which might be lawful were not expedient. They did not interfere with the liberties of anyone, but they exalted those holding different views into the position of reasonable creatures, servants of their God, when they asked them to consider those things as men and not merely as automatons—(applause and disapproval)—to consider those things with the feelings men ought to have to their fellow-men, and especially their fellow-churchmen. He did not urge that the putting up of a reredos with sculptured figures was contrary to the law of the land. It was contrary to the law of the land to maintain a reredos or any other images if it were shown either that they were likely to lead, or had led to anything like idolatry. He pointed out that the representation on the central panel of the reredos in St. Andrew's Cathedral was identical with one existing in a Roman Catholic church in Melbourne. The learned gentleman quoted at some length the judgment of Lord Penzance in the Ridsdale and Clifton case (upheld and adopted by the Privy Council in dealing with the matter) as to the illegality of setting up in a church the crucifix and representations of John and Mary, laying stress upon the observation of the learned Judge that "it is not the belief in an idol of wood or stone, but the practice of involving in devotional exercise outward and visible forms as inculcated in the devotional books of the Roman Catholic creed." The judgment of the Court was that what was complained of was not an architectural ornament only, but an unlawful one, because calculated to be used as an aid to devotion by persons performing their devotions before it, which was illegal in the Church of England. If that reredos had been put up at the north end of the church he would have said nothing about it. His objection was that it had been put up in a place where adoration was wont to be made. He contended that they had a reasonable cause for supposing that the retention of the reredos would lead to idolatry. He repudiated the suggestion that there was any attempt to bring pressure to bear or to exercise violence to secure the removal of the reredos. If the representations complained of were simply architectural adornments, he would not object to them. He would like to see the reredos removed, but he was prepared to accept a modification of it. He believed the interests of the Church were safe in the hands of the Primate, and would not object to a decision upon the matter being committed to Dr. Barry, but he had not the same willingness with regard to the Cathedral Chapter alone. He was ready to submit the matter to the chapter, presided over by the Bishop, to bring about a determination which would secure the peace of the Church. (Applause.)

Mr. Justice INNES referred to the cases cited by Mr. Foster to show that they did not bear on the question inasmuch as their circumstances had no resemblance to those of the present case. He considered that the reredos in St. Andrew's Cathedral was absolutely harmless, and that it was mere humbug and moonshine and a shallow pretence to say that it was. He pointed out that unless they abided by the decisions of constituted authority, there would be no finality or stability in their affairs. As to Mr. Crane's instance of idolatry, he thought no one had a right to assume that another person's devotions were idolatrous merely because that person did not happen to do reverence in exactly the same manner and attitude. (Hear, hear.) He was entirely opposed to the amendment of the Archdeacon of Cumberland, and would far rather vote for the original resolution. The proposed modification would simply be an exaggeration of the fault already charged against the reredos. He asked his opposing friends to consider the convictions of others. He hoped that the amendment for modification would be rejected, and the resolution also: and declared his desire to maintain the peace of the Church equally with those on the other side. He concluded by reading from another judgment, which went to the root of the matter, impressing upon the members of the Synod the principles of toleration and conciliation. (Applause.)

Canon KEMMIS said that he intended to vote for the previous question. He earnestly spoke for toleration and generous treatment of the feelings of others. He did not think that, practically, the proposed modifications of the reredos could be carried out. Suppose that act, which he did not hesitate to call an act of vandalism, were accomplished, did they think the peace of the Church would be restored? (Cries of "No, no.") Was that not simply to be regarded as the starting point for some new venture, some fresh gain, if they would be able to secure it in the direction of their own wishes? For having once succeeded in gaining this, he, for his part, firmly believed that the association furthering this movement would not rest satisfied until they had done something else to disturb the peace of the Church. He thought that to remove the reredos would be an act of spoliation, and the yielding of a legal right, and that it would promote a party spirit. Then if they passed that resolution they would pass a direct and clear vote of censure upon the Bishop and Chapter. ("No, no." and applause.)

The Rev. J. BARNIER did not believe that the reredos was an artistic production. He contended that there was a want of harmony in respect to the details of the design, and that some of the features of the reredos were such as to cause people to indulge in ridicule The reredos really did mean something more than a "sculptured ornament," which was the contention of advocates for the retention of the structure. He had been repelled from that Holy Table, it being rendered repulsive to him by the reredos, and if he never took the cup again he could not take it before the reredos. (Applause, and cries of "Shame," followed by some excitement.)

The PRIMATE appealed to the House to allow the rev. gentleman without interruption to express what were the sentiments of his heart.

The Rev. J. BARNIER proceeded to observe that the reredos had disturbed the peace of many members, and repelled them from the communion. He regarded the reredos as a party badge. (Hear, hear.) Surely it was not a badge of Christianity. ("Yes, yes.") No. Did they worship a dead Christ—a dead body? (Applause.) He thought that the piety was poor indeed that required an object to call it into the exercise of devotion. He regarded the reredos as a badge of superstition. He regretted the speech of Judge Innes, which was delivered after Mr. Foster had held out the olive branch of peace. He had heard it said, "Who cares, let them go." ("Hear, hear.") Well that been said in the past; but he would ask, Had the Church of England been made richer by allowing the Puritans to go? Instead of the proud, supercilious sneer, "Let them go," it would have been better if a wider toleration, which would have kept them, had been manifested.

Mr Justice INNES denied that his address was in any direction other than of peace.

Archdeacon GUNTHER contended that the action of the chapter was quite legal. The Bishop was no more responsible for the erection of the reredos than any other member of the Cathedral Chapter. The chapter introduced what they regarded as an ecclesiastical ornament, which they were told were common in churches in England. He denied that the reredos bore a representation of the Christ of heaven. Such a representation would be a profanation. There could be doubt that the resolution would be an indirect censure upon the Bishop. (Loud and repeated disclaimers.) He regarded the agitation against the reredos as an attempt to thrust out of the House of God that which was beautiful and attractive. He felt that the removal of the reredos would be accompanied with much difficulty, because having been legally erected there would have to be some reference to the subscribers to the reredos before its removal could be effected. He looked upon the proposed removal as a singularly small matter. He suggested that a conference of those in favour of, and those opposed to, the retention of the reredos should be held. (Loud cries of "No, no.") He could not vote for either the resolution or the amendment. (Applause).

The Rev. T. B. TRESS said it was his intention to vote for the amendment, because he thought it would be the only way of averting a division in the church, which would, perhaps, cripple it for ever. (Cries of "No, no," and of "Yes, yes.") It was desirable that peace should be secured, and it could only be secured by mutual concession. The reason why he was opposed to the reredos was because it was in the Cathedral, which was the mother church of the diocese, and should contain nothing that was offensive to any member of the church. (Hear, hear).

The Rev. D. MURPHY denied that the reredos was a party badge. He intended to vote for the previous question. There was, he thought, a tendency to limit lawful liberty, and the resolution would operate in that way. He disapproved of the attempt being made to coerce the Chapter.

Judge WILKINSON hoped the synod would vote against the removal and against any modification of the reredos. He thought the synod was least fit to deal with the matter, because it was apt to be led by passion and influenced by party organisations. He thought that if the resolution were passed dominant majorities would become more tyrannical. (Hear, hear.) If the movement against the reredos succeeded, it must cause irremediable mischief. (Hear, hear.)

The Rev. JOSHUA HARGRAVE had been trying to-day to get some idea of the artistic beauty of the reredos, which he felt inclined to class with the Post Office carvings. (Applause and laughter.) Supposing the synod decided on the retention of the reredos, what guarantee would the Church have that something else on the same line would not be introduced. He intended to vote for the resolution.

The Rev. C. F. GARNSEY thought it was idle to suppose that because a person on going into a church made an obeisance towards the Holy Table he was guilty of idolatry. He would vote for the previous question.

The Rev. JOHN VAUGHAN said he was not opposed to a reredos in a cathedral, but he was opposed to the shape of this reredos—(hear, hear)—and as it had offended a large number of members he thought it was right that members should ask for its removal. He would support the amendment.

The PRIMATE then addressed the synod. He said: The synod is called upon practically to interfere in some way by authority for the removal of the cathedral reredos. That such a reredos is lawful, under the law of the Church of England, which we here observe, is unquestionable; and I may remark that its lawfulness was declared by the Supreme Court, after special consideration of the argument from the homilies, so eloquently urged here on the ground that the approval of the homilies in the article was general, and had express reference to the times when that article was drawn up, and that the Church neither is, nor could, be bound to adhere to a mere popular exposition of doctrine and discipline as the homilies contain. The synod therefore cannot address the Bishop praying him to take legal action against it on the ground that it is against the law. This being the case, the Synod, if it is to interfere authoritatively, can only properly do so by rule or ordinance, under its general authority as to the good government of the Church, and with the assent of the Bishop, which our law requires. It is due to the signers of the petition which has been laid upon the table to say that this was apparently what they in some way contemplated for the appeal not to the synod only, but to "the Bishop and members of the Church of England in synod assembled." Now, that to grant such a rule is *ultra vires*, so long as our present constitution lasts, and so long as the authorities of every church, and therefore of the Cathedral Church, with the sanction of the Ordinary, have the independence secured to them by the law of the Church of England, and that it would interfere with the legal authority of the Bishop as Ordinary, is, I suppose, beyond all question. But the adoption of the resolution proposed, unless an address from the synod is to be—what, indeed, it can hardly be—a barren expression of opinion or a mere petition, is indirectly to go as far as possible towards doing what by law it cannot directly do; it is virtually to exercise some measure of authoritative interference without attempting to grant a rule, and without, therefore, requiring the assent of the Bishop. I conceive that this is a dangerous precedent, and that such a course, which must place the Bishop under necessity of either abandoning his proper authority, which he bound to guard, or at being at variance with his synod, must go far towards rendering positions of supposed authority untenable. The ground, moreover, on which the synod is called upon to pass the resolution is equally dangerous. Stripped of all rhetoric, it comes to this—first, that if any number of persons, large or small, takes honest offence at anything connected with the adornment or ritual of a church, especially if they attach such undue importance to external things, that they refuse to join in worship and communion with their brethren because of the existence of an ornament of which they conscientiously disapprove, then, in respect of any church—for in this respect the Cathedral Church, though it occupied an unique position, in some other respects cannot stand alone—they shall not only have their undoubted right to petition the authorities against it, but shall be able to come to the synod to pray it virtually to override those authorities. Next, that they may do this simply on the ground of offence actually taken without any reference to the question whether such offence is reasonable or not, or to the probability that the attempt to remove offence in one direction may have the effect of wounding conscience and destroying liberty in another. I can conceive few more dangerous precedents than this. If once admitted, where will the process stop? The same considerations of course apply in principle to the amendment, which proposes "modification" of the reredos. It is, however, right to say that in it there is this practically important difference, that it does not ask the members of the Chapter to stultify themselves by that removal of the reredos which they have hitherto refused, and give what they believe to be sound reasons for refusing. It will be of course understood that, if accepted, it is not limited by the private opinion of the mover as to the particular modification which may be desirable. It should be remembered that if the synod, feeling the difficulty of authoritative interference in the matter should, by adopting the amendment of "the previous question" decline to undertake it, the subject cannot remain as it was before. It must come before the chapter again, under the new light thrown upon it by this discussion, and with the moral weight which must attach to the opinions of a large number of members of this synod; and as representatives of the church, I cannot doubt that the chapter will once more take it into their most earnest consideration, and endeavour, without sacrifice of principle, to give due weight to all representations which have come before it, in the hope that the effect may tend in some degree to the peace of the Church. I trust that the synod will consider the extreme gravity of the position. Popular agitations, however earnest, if they relate only to external things, die away after a time. I am old enough to have seen this with many. There was a time when to preach in a surplice, except in a Cathedral was held to "unprotestantise the Church." But if the synod takes what I believe to be "a new departure" in extending its authority beyond what is legally assigned to it, it is difficult to foresee the consequences both of the act itself and of the precedent which it sets. I have now endeavoured to put before the synod the position, as it appears to me, in the plainest and simplest terms. I should have been pleased to be able to remain silent, but I consider that in the circumstances, on this occasion, absolute silence on my part would be a dereliction of duty. (Applause.)

At this stage of the proceedings it was mutually arranged that a conference should take place, and the president left the chair for five minutes. On the resumption of the synod Mr. Crane, in deference to the remarks which had just fallen from the Primate, withdrew his motion, and the proposers of amendments adopted a similar course. The announcement of withdrawal was in each case followed by enthusiastic applause.

The PRIMATE said that the matter would be at once considered by the chapter, it being understood that it was left entirely in their hands. He could not make any promise as to what the decision of the chapter would be, but he would call a special meeting for 4 o'clock on Monday, and perhaps be able to announce that decision on Monday evening.

Mr. H. S. SMITH then moved the adjournment of the synod.

The motion was agreed to.

The PRESIDENT said a few words in reference to the resolution just arrived at, hoping that it might tend towards peace and happiness.

The sitting was closed with the Doxology and the Benediction.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

At the session of the Anglican Synod last evening the eighth annual report of the committee appointed to carry into effect the resolutions passed by the synod on the subject of religious instruction in Public schools was laid upon the table. The report deals with the period between July 1st, 1886, and July 28th last. In the report it was stated that the amount received from subscriptions since the date of the last report is the highest yet recorded, viz., £620 8s. 6d. Had the offertories equalled those of last year, the committee would have been relieved of much of the anxiety which their financial position has caused them. From this source the committee, however, have received only £82 6s. 9d., while last year the amount was £278 2s. 3d. Probably the decrease is largely attributable to the unusual number of wet Sundays during the year, and the consequent inability of the parishes to give special offertories. The total income for the year is £723 13s. 8d. Owing to the fact that there was a credit balance of £175 10s. at the beginning of the year, the committee have been able to continue the work without diminution to the end of June. At that date they felt compelled, for financial reasons, to dispense with the services of one of their salaried teachers. There are still 11 salaried teachers employed by the committee. But four of them are engaged for a part of their time only. There are also several voluntary teachers, one of whom has been recently appointed.

The appointment of an organising secretary engaged the serious attention of the committee at several of their meetings. They are glad to report that they have secured the services of the Rev. W. A. Charlton, who devotes part of his time to the work. Since his appointment he has visited most of the schools in the city and suburbs, where salaried teachers are employed, and in some instances their work has been reorganised. They are now teaching a larger number of classes than were under instruction when the last report was issued. In consequence of the state of their finances, and the delay in the appointment of an organising secretary, the committee have been unable to provide for examinations and prizes. The annual returns, so far as they have been supplied, show that the clergy who forwarded them, are carrying on the work as extensively as in former years. The committee regret that from an unusually large number of parishes no returns have been received. Nothing can be added to what has been said before, and is now generally admitted, as to the vital importance of the work entrusted to the committee. That there should be any lack of funds for maintaining and extending it, must indicate that its importance is not yet realised. It is the duty of the committee to point out that there must be a considerable increase in the amount placed at their disposal, if further retrenchment is to be avoided.

PETERSHAM PARK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your to-day's *Herald* there appears a report of a meeting held in reference to the above, at which a resolution was carried censuring the borough council for its dilatoriness in not accepting the park on the terms offered by the Minister for Mines, &c. In reply thereto, allow me to state that this condemnation is uncalled for and unjustifiable. The matter of a park was taken up by the council about 1869, and a portion of the South Annandale Estate in a commanding and magnificent position recommended for that purpose, which was endorsed by Sir Henry Parkes (then Premier), and steps taken for the resumption of a portion of that property; but owing to that gentleman's visit to England matters were delayed, and upon his return the defeat of his Government frustrated the council's efforts and the agitation had to be again commenced *de novo*. The council again renewed their application for a portion of the South Annandale Estate, and were met by a small section of interested persons, who urged the purchase of a low lying, unsuitable area of land known as Wentworth Paddock, against which the aldermen and the ratepayers generally raised their protest, and urged the immediate purchase or resumption of a part of South Annandale. With a view to better form an opinion and determine the position, the late Sir Alexander Stuart (then Premier) visited both sites, and, without a moment's hesitation, pronounced South Annandale the best and most suitable position; in fact said he coveted the position for a private residence. Shortly afterwards, much to the council's surprise, we were informed that the Government had decided to purchase Wentworth Paddock, a property totally unfitted and unhealthy for the purposes of a park, and a site which requires at least about £5000 spent upon it to make it at all suitable. There is a large natural watercourse (15ft. wide in some places) running right through the estate, and the public will be surprised to hear that although the Government officers condemned the property, £15,000 was given for it, a price which Mr. J. Fletcher, when Minister for Mines, considered exorbitant, and the Hon. F. Abigail, a few months ago, corroborated this opinion; and, further, told a deputation that he would as soon think of jumping off the Post Office tower as giving £7000 for the property.

The council, seeing that the Wentworth paddock was the site purchased, accepted the inevitable, and being fully aware of the large amount of money that would be necessary to fence, drain, and lay out the ground, and supported by the fact that the late Sir Alexander Stuart promised a deputation that Petersham should have £25,000 for a park, and not having the power to levy or expend the rates on park improvements, made a demand upon the Minister for Mines for a large special vote, leaving the amount to the liberality of the Government, and were courteously told that no special vote would be given, but that Petersham would have its share of the distribution of the general vote—a sum judging by the grants already made of about £200 not sufficient to fence in the property.

On the 14th May last, which was shortly after the Government made the last payment, the Mines Department wrote to the council notifying the intention of the Minister to appoint the council trustees if that body would accept the position; to which the council, on 2nd June, replied that they would accept the trusteeship, and, again expressed a hope that the Minister might see his way to recommend a special vote for improvements. Since that date the council have been waiting and expecting to see the *Gazette* notice of the dedication and appointment of trustees, but through some blunder the Mines Department had overlooked the council's acceptance of the trusteeship, and the Minister at once admitted his misapprehension, and gave instructions for the necessary dedication and appointment of trustees to be made immediately.

I have taken up more space than I anticipated, but I must be explicit and explain the council's position, when a half-dozen or so interested busybodies, with properties facing and adjoining the park, are so wrapped up in their own importance that they will not accept any statement from myself or the aldermen, but have created an irresponsible council of their own to censure the ratepayers' constitutional representatives.

I am, &c., JOHN WHEELER, Mayor.

Town Hall, Petersham, September 2.

THE PREMIER AT FORBES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—According to your report Sir Henry Parkes made the following statement in his speech delivered at Forbes yesterday:—"With regard to the deficit, he and his colleagues were of opinion that though we had the means to pay off the deficit, it ought not to be wiped away too soon. They thought it should remain a short time like a black pyramid with 'Dibbs' in red letters upon it." The remark was cheered, but it seems to me that no person who has the welfare of this country at heart can read it without feelings of shame and deepest indignation. The spirit of party in connection with politics has been brought into objectionable prominence in England and elsewhere, but Sir Henry Parkes has developed it to a degree never even suggested by the most unscrupulous amongst English politicians. It is impossible to name any English statesman of the present century who ever proposed to continue a heavy burden on the country for the sake of expressing personal malice against an opponent. But this is really what Sir Henry Parkes has made up his mind to do. And, according to his statement, the other members of the Cabinet are willing co-operators with him in his treason. How different has been the practice of Mr Gladstone from that which the Premier has resolved upon, every person familiar with the history of domestic legislation in Great Britain during the last quarter of a century knows. Sir Henry Parkes's utterance represents a depth of political degradation lower than which it is difficult to conceive that any other administrator of our affairs will ever be able to descend. The admirers of the Premier have informed the public times without number that he occupies a unique position amongst Australian statesmen. They are perfectly right. And it may be hoped that no politician born and trained in the colonies will ever aspire to share the privilege which Sir Henry Parkes possesses. I am, &c.,

Darlinghurst, 2nd Sept. JOHN OSBORNE.

HOODS AND NO HOODS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—"One who had no Vote" is confused by the new habit of a very few who begin to wear hoods. It is not a fact that those entitled to wear hoods are very few. It is a fact that from the first the custom has been the wearing of the gown only. Most of the clergy at least have University degrees or diplomas of theological colleges, but in synod it has hitherto been considered rather snobbish to wear their hoods.

I am, &c.,

ONE WHO LEAVES HIS HOOD AT HOME.

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"Retford House, Dewsbury-road, Leeds. Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons, September 2, 1886. Dear Sirs,—I do not drink Cocoa as a rule, but your preparation is so palatable that I could take it every day. I am, yours faithfully, ROBT. J. SHAW, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., Ed."—[ADVT.]

REVIEW.

St. Petersburg and London in the Years 1852-1864. Reminiscences of Count Charles Frederick Vitzthum von Eckstadt, late Saxon Minister at the Court of St. James. Edited, with a preface by HENRY REEVE, C.B., D.C.L. Translated by EDWARD FAIRFAX TAYLOR. London: Longmans, Green, and Co. 1887.

In the 12 years covered by these volumes some of the most momentous political events in the world's history took place. England, France, Turkey, and Sardinia combined to make the autocratic Nicholas relinquish his prey, while Austria and Prussia stood idly by awaiting contingencies. Close upon the Crimean War came the military revolt in India, a revolt that threatened at one time to make British rule in the Peninsula a thing of the past. Then followed the Franco-Austrian struggle of 1859, which would certainly have involved all Europe but for the hastily arranged peace of Villafranca. Most important of all, not to Europe alone, but to mankind, was the American civil war, which settled for all time the question of slavery and the claim of any state or states to leave the Union and set up for themselves. Had the South come out victorious, as at one time seemed certain, the new world would now present the same gruesome aspect as the old, where millions of men stand face to face ready to trample each other down without knowing or caring why. The reminiscences end in 1864, when little Denmark pluckily, but unavailingly, stood up before the Austrian and Prussian giants. The succeeding seven years, as everybody knows, witnessed the dispute of the victors over the spoils, the banishment of Austria from Germany, the fierce, brief grapple with France, and the birth of that sturdy infant with which Central Europe laboured so long—the new German Empire.

In these volumes, Count Vitzthum introduces us to the very first society of a generation ago—to men and women on whose caprice the fate of nations depended. We use the word "first" entirely in a political sense, for it is impossible to remain long in the company to which the author gives us the *entrée* without recognising the real inferiority of the persons composing it in all that constitutes true wisdom or greatness. A careful perusal of the "reminiscences" shows what a small amount of knowledge is necessary in governing mankind, and how little the governed know of the schemes, subterfuges, and wiles which sometimes result in a marriage and sometimes in a massacre. It is not till years, generations may be, have gone by—till the chief actors are in their dotage or in their graves—that the facts connected with bygone national or international crises percolate through the diplomatic body and reach the public. It is both significant and sad to observe how frequently popular applause or condemnation was bestowed upon the wrong people—how men were blamed when they should have been praised, commended when they ought to have been condemned. The man who deserved execration dies peacefully in his bed, respected by all who knew him; while he who struggled for more light is unceremoniously hustled *à la lanterne*.

Count Vitzthum was born in 1819, the year that witnessed the birth of our own Sovereign and of her late husband. In 1852 he was accredited to St. Petersburg for 12 months, as chargé d'affaires of the Saxon Legation. Here he had an opportunity for studying the causes that led to the Crimean war, and for becoming acquainted with that bulwark of European legitimacy and despotism, the Czar Nicholas. The French envoy, General Castelbajac, appears to have been a good deal wanting in tact. Once, for instance, when riding with Nicholas past the palace where Paul I. was murdered, he innocently asked—"N'est-ce pas là, sire, que votre père a été assassiné?" The race of good natured people who are always at hand to ask pleasant things is a prolific one. It was on July 8 (20), 1852, that the Saxon representative found himself for the first time in a room, the only other occupant of which was "the mightiest and most dreaded monarch of the world. In spite of his 56 years, the classical Greek features and giant figure of Nicholas I. still showed the strength of youth. Phidias could have chiselled a Zeus or a god of war from this model. . . . The small head appeared to rest on a neck worthy of the Farnese Hercules." Such was the monarch who, going alone among the mob on a historical occasion, had quelled a revolution with a wave of his hand and an uncomplimentary address beginning with, "You wretches! pray God to forgive you." The turbulent crowd went on its knees in the dust and arose with a shout of "Hurrah! long live our lord and father." Things have changed since then, and it is doubtful whether the same experiment would succeed on the Neva to-day. At all events, the grandson of Nicholas evinces no disposition to try. The well-known story concerning the construction of the railway from the capital to Moscow appears to be true. The Emperor took down a map, joined the two cities with a red pencil line, said that was the route he wished, and his hearers saw at once that his Majesty was in the front rank of engineers. The peculiarity of this railway is that it hits all the swamps and misses all the towns between the termini. "Once only is a distant view caught of the tower of Tiver." Yet, in the midst of dreary steppes and inhospitable morasses, "the stations were newly built, and the excellently kept waiting-rooms were furnished with sumptuous buffets. Every conceivable kind of refreshment was there." Thus, everything considered, it is probable that a journey on the Moscow line is on the whole preferable to one on any Australian railway with which we are acquainted. What appeared strange to Count Vitzthum was the "free-and-easy way in which the measures of the Government were discussed and criticised. . . . Not only thought, but speech was free enough, if only it was not put into print." This is certainly news to nine English readers out of ten.

The Russian mobilisation that preceded the occupation of the Principalities, and brought about the interference of the Western Powers, was ordered by the Czar unknown to all his advisers. Even Prince Orloff, the chief of the secret police, and most powerful official in the land, was unaware of it. Yet Nicholas trusted and esteemed Orloff, who once saved his life. A regiment had mutinied, and the Czar, relying on his power and presence, stepped to the front with "Have you any complaint, my children?" Some of the "children" left the ranks, one going strait for the monarch, and levelling his piece at him. Another moment and Russia would have required a fresh coronation. But Orloff, who was a young giant, sprang forward, and struck the mutineer dead with one blow of his fist. This lucky box made his fortune.

Nicholas was very indiscreet, and constantly blabbed of things he was most anxious to keep secret. Thus the mobilisation of the two army corps soon became the talk of the town, and the British Ambassador demanded explanations. The Emperor, in a violent temper, sent for Orloff, and the following ensued:—

"What have I a police for?"

"Your Majesty must know that best."

"Quite right, only I don't know what good it is. And if you don't give me in 24 hours the name of the traitor who has let out the secret of the mobilisation of the fourth and fifth army corps, you are cashiered."

"Oh, I don't require 24 hours."

"You know him, then?"

"I know what I know, but I can only tell it at the Emperor's express command."

"I give you that command."

"The traitor whom your Majesty is looking for is Nicholas I. Paulowitsch, Emperor of all the Russias, &c., &c."

According to Count Vitzthum, the "battle of Inkermann was only lost by the talkativeness of the Emperor Nicholas." The plan was to crush the weak and exposed English who formed the allied left before the French and Piedmontese could arrive in support, then to drive the latter back upon their ships. The Czar was so delighted with the plan, which was worked out on paper under his eyes, that he told it in all its details to Count Münster, the Prussian ambassador. The latter reported it to Berlin, unaware that "it was the very Cabinet of his own Sovereign at Potsdam, from which the English and French embassies were then obtaining the very best materials for their despatches." Oddly enough it was Lord Augustus Loftus, late Governor of New South Wales, who was then British representative at Berlin. By a Prussian official who was paid according to the importance of the information given, "the English Ambassador promptly received the despatch of Count Münster with the Russian plan of the battle of Inkermann. Loftus, perceiving its importance, had the despatch telegraphed in cipher to London: whence, after being deciphered, it was immediately forwarded to Lord Raglan." Thus the British commander was enabled to take the necessary measures and warn the French of the common danger. Even so, the odds in numbers on that murderous day were greatly in favour of the Russians. "Thirty years afterwards," says Vitzthum, "a competent witness, Marshal Canrobert, said to me when speaking of that day: '*L'infanterie Anglaise est la première du monde.*'" Even at this distance of time it is impossible to read unmoved the record of the splendid feat of arms performed by that slender British contingent. Years afterwards the author met Lord Cardigan, who with 130 of the Light Brigade had escaped from the *feu d'enfer* of Balaclava. In answer to a question regarding the privations of the winter of '54, his lordship observed that they were not very great, as he had his yacht at hand, and "she is very comfortable; only it was tedious having to ride night and morning several miles along the bad roads." "What," asks Vitzthum, "would Count Moltke say indeed to such outpost service?" So far as England was concerned, the invasion of the Crimea brought out two facts—the gallantry of her soldiers, and the rottenness of the British military administration. Thus it was that whatever scanty laurels were gained fell mostly to the French. On the Continent, too, it became the fashion to refer to Napoleon III. as "he," just as his uncle was alluded to half a century before. "He has done this," "He has said that," were at that time (1857) customary forms of speech, and even the Prince of Prussia used them." *Sic transit gloria mundi.*

It was after the Crimean war, however, that the real intrigues began. Paris was the political centre of Europe, and Napoleon was determined not only to keep it so, but to make himself and his dynasty secure. Indeed, the latter was the chief object. Thus the success or failure of measures were gauged not by their intrinsic justice, but by their effect in steadying the throne for another Buonaparte. In order that the turbulent Gauls might not examine too curiously the state of affairs on the Seine, the Emperor had to find work for them abroad. More than once a rupture with England appeared inevitable, but Persigny, who then represented France at St. James's, was wedded to the belief that "no French Government could hold out against the hostility of the English press and Stock Exchange." Work was ultimately found in Italy and in Mexico. Later on it was found on the Rhine with a result disastrous alike to the Buonapartists and to France. The study of the diplomatic jugglery laid partially bare in the volumes before us leaves a bad taste on the mouth, and in the heart something akin to contempt for mankind. At all events it is far from flattering to human reason to read how gaily men in the heyday of life march to mutilation or death, not in defence of a great principle like that which buoyed up the American abolitionists in the hour of their sorest need, but in order that a ring of gamblers and upstarts might wear fine linen and bear sonorous titles. When we read that the ghastly slaughter of Magenta and Solferino might not have occurred "had a daughter of the Saxon King, and not a Sardinian, been the wife of the Prince Napoleon," it is not easy to escape from the conclusion that in politics woman is just as wayward a factor to-day as she was when Hellenes and Trojans battled under the walls of Troy.

It is to Victor Emmanuel, not to Cavour, that Count Vitzthum attributes Italian unity. In fact, his opinion of Cavour is not a very high one. Prince Albert would appear to have been the real master of England for over 20 years. Judging by the accounts given of him in these "reminiscences," he must have been remarkable alike for prudence and discernment. Here are a few of his opinions expressed during a *tete-a-tete* with the author. "His (Napoleon's) system rests upon unsolved and insoluble contradictions, which assert themselves in mutual antagonism, and which must bring his system if not himself to a tragic end. . . . Eventually he will not be able to live without the halo of a campaign on the Rhine. . . . Just as healthy people trouble themselves but little about the anatomy of their body, so the English as a rule know but little of their institutions." We learn too of the efforts that were made to have Prince Albert proclaimed king, and further that "For twenty years not a single despatch was ever sent from the Foreign Office which the Prince had not seen, studied, and, if necessary, altered. Not a single report of any importance from an Ambassador was allowed to be kept from him. The Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Secretary for War, the Home Secretary, the First Lord of the Admiralty, all handed to him every day just as large bundles of papers as did the Foreign Office. No appointment in Church and State, in the army or the navy was ever made without his approbation. At Court not the smallest thing was done without his order. . . . With the exception of the British Ministers and a few intimate friends, no one had any idea of the actual position of the Prince during his lifetime. Those who knew it were pledged to keep the secret, which now for the first time since his death has been revealed to the nation." This will certainly be news to the nation.

In January, 1862, it was expected by many that Napoleon, even without England's co-operation, intended "to dictate peace on the other side of the Atlantic" as the democracy of the North did not please him. There is little doubt that at that early stage of the Civil War, before the Americans had time to organise the huge hosts of three years later, a powerful French fleet and 100,000 disciplined Frenchmen might have enabled the Southerners to march on Washington. It is even more certain that, had Napoleon carried out his design, the Americans would long ere this have settled their differences with France in a manner which for all time would keep the latter from meddling in the domestic affairs of the Union. It is not prudent to interfere in a matter with which you have no concern, particularly when the people into whose house you obtrude can afford to spend a million of lives and a billion of money for an idea. The following is full of meaning:—"It was interesting to me to gather, as I did from my yesterday's conversation, the scarcely concealed satisfaction felt by the Conservative party at the troubles in America. 'Speaking privately,' said Disraeli, 'we can only congratulate ourselves if the monarchical principle comes into favour on the other side of the Atlantic. . . . We cannot, of course, proclaim openly the satisfaction we naturally feel at the collapse of Republican institutions." To-day, 25 years after the foregoing speech, the collapse of republican institutions appears farther off than ever.

Towards the end of 1858 Count Vitzthum, when at Dresden on leave of absence, had an interview with old Prince Metternich, who died shortly afterwards. The Prince must have been then considerably over 80, and the chapter recording the meeting is one of the most interesting in the book. During the day Metternich had visited the Marcolini Palace, where forty-five years before he had had with Napoleon I. an interview that decided the fate of Europe. Napoleon having escaped from Russia with the skeleton of the *grand armée* was anxious for Austrian support. He had a nine-hours' talk with Metternich on the subject, the result being that Austria threw in her lot with Russia and Prussia instead of with France. The details of this famous meeting are given. Towards the end Napoleon exclaimed:—"Eh bien, puisque vous voulez la guerre vous l'aurez! Je ferai la guerre, une guerre d'extermination." The Austrian Chancellor's answer to this outburst of savagery was:—"Permittez-moi, sire, d'ouvrir les portes et les fenêtres, afin que tout le monde vous entende; vous jugerez vous-meme de l'effet que vos paroles produiront sur vos maréchaux." To those who would peep behind the European political curtain, or obtain a passing glimpse of the strings the pulling of which causes panics in the Bourses of gay capitals and among the inmates of humble cottages, we can freely recommend the volumes of Count Vitzthum.

Bewick Gleanings, being impressions from copper-plates and wood blocks engraved in the Bewick workshop. Edited, with notes, by JULIA BOYD. Printed and published by Andrew Reid, Printing Court-buildings, Akenside-hill, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 1886.

Not so long ago when the contents of a book struck the reviewer's fancy, the expression, 'this work should find a place in every gentleman's library," might be looked for in the notice with a tolerable certainty of being found. At the risk of being accused of resuscitating a phrase which has long since passed into the limbo of hackneyed commonplaces, we make bold to say that the "Beswic Gleanings" is a volume which should find a place in any library, public or private. It was towards the end of last century and the beginning of this that Thomas Bewick and his pupils raised wood engraving to a height which it had not previously reached. It was then that children's books, books of fables and others, need only be "illustrated by Bewick" to make sure of a ready sale. The "Bewick Gleanings" consist of impressions from the copper plates and wood blocks left in the possession of Thomas Bewick's daughters, who died but a few years ago at an advanced age. After their decease the treasures of their father's old workshop came under the inexorable auctioneer's hammer, and are now scattered up and down through the United Kingdom. A life of Thomas Bewick, together with short sketches of the lives of his pupils, is supplied by the editor. The book is got up in capital style, and is altogether a volume full of interest.

A History of the Old English Letter Foundries, with Notes Historical and Biographical on the Rise and Progress of English Typography, by TALBOT BAINES REED. London: Elliot Stock, 62, Paternoster Row, E.C. 1887.

This publication is a welcome one to the bibliographer, the antiquarian, and the printer. It is not without a certain regret the author admits that "letter founding to-day bids fair to break all her old ties and take new departures undreamed of by those heroes of the punch and matrix and mould, who made her what we found her." Such regrets, after all, are idle. Everything, "letter founding" not excepted, changes. When it ceases to move it dies. The author opens his preface with: "In this age of progress, when the fine arts are rapidly becoming trades," &c., &c.; but no discovery of new motive powers, no advance in mechanical ingenuity will ever interfere with true art—will ever enable a dunce to write a book of travels like Gulliver, a requiem like Mozart, or place on canvas figures like those of Reynolds.

Walford's Antiquarian Magazine and Bibliographical Review. Edited by G. W. REDWAY, F.R.H.S. George Redway, York-street, Covent Garden, London. J. W. Bonton, Agent for America, 706, Broadway, New York.

This is the sixty-third number of a publication which, although chiefly interesting to antiquarians, possesses much to engage the attention of the ordinary reader. It is, in fact, a budget of notes and queries concerning times long past. Fortunately for mankind each person's mind differs from all others in its character and bent. Thus, while some look lovingly backwards to the past, others look as hopelessly forward to the future. It is to minds of the former class that the magazine before us will most strongly appeal.

Catalogue of the York Gate Library, formed by Mr. S. William Silver; an index to the literature of geography, maritime, and inland discovery, commerce, and civilisation. By EDWARD AUGUSTUS PETHERICK. Second edition. London: John Murray, Albemarle-street, 1886.

Mr. Silver, while admitting that he is no traveller, asserts that his interest in the discoveries made by travellers has been great. To gratify this taste he has collected during the last 34 years all the books he could secure having any bearing on his favourite pursuit, and the work before us is the catalogue of the accumulated treasures. The first thing that strikes and even bewilders one is the vast number of books and pamphlets that have been published on the subject. The next, that Mr. Silver should have succeeded in collecting them. There is scarcely a nook or corner of this globe of ours that has not been explored by curious persons during the past few centuries; so that the time cannot be far distant when the explorer's work will be done and the ground cut from under the feet of those ingenious people who could always be trusted to leave London or Paris in the Spring, returning towards Autumn with the discovery of a new river, or of a fresh tribe of exceptionally fierce cannibals. As a book of reference to the geographical student, the York Gate Catalogue is of the highest value.

MR. STEVENSON, M.L.A., BEFORE HIS CONSTITUENTS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

WISEMAN'S FERRY, FRIDAY.

Notwithstanding the almost flooded state of the M'Donald River, it being from 8ft. to 10ft. high at some crossings thus cutting off communication with the Upper M'Donald, there was a large meeting of electors at the Settlers' Arms Hotel, St. Albans, last night, to welcome Mr. R. Stevenson, their Parliamentary representative, and to listen to an account of his stewardship since the last general election. Mr. Thomas Thompson occupied the chair. Mr. Stevenson was repeatedly applauded on stating what action he took in the different debates, and why he supported or opposed the various measures brought forward during last session. He showed satisfactorily why he opposed the Payment of Members Bill, and was of opinion that if this were made a test question next general election the country would endorse the views of those opposed to such payment. He further gave reasons for opposing the State House proposal, and attributed the carrying of that scheme solely to the irresistible oratorical power of Sir Henry Parkes, which caused most of those antagonistic to the proposal to pass over to the Premier's side like a flock of sheep. He much regretted that seven miles of the foreshores of the beautiful Lake Macquarie, which partly belonged to his electorate, passed into private hands, and that at the low figure of 5½d. per foot, remarking that it would have paid the Government a few days afterwards to resume the area at double that amount. Altogether the whole speech made a most favourable impression on all present, and a unanimous vote of confidence was passed, followed by a vote of thanks to the chairman. Mr. Stevenson, accompanied by a number of his friends and supporters, started this morning for Laguna and Wollombi.

THE LINNEAN SOCIETY.

The monthly meeting of the Linnean Society of New South Wales was held on Wednesday evening, at the Linnean Hall, Elizabeth Bay. Professor Stephens, M.A., F.G.S., presided. A letter was read from the secretary of the Royal Society of Adelaide, expressing regret that the proposal to have special meetings and excursions in Adelaide during this month had to be abandoned. The president announced that excursions had been arranged for September 10, to the watering station beyond Berowra, Hawkesbury line; and for the 24th September, to St. Mary's. The receipt of a large number of donations (works) was notified. The following papers were read:—By Mr. J. H. Maiden, F.R.G.S., on "Notes on some indigenous tobacco and sago from New Guinea"; by Mr. A. Sidney Olliff, F.E.S., "On Zelotypia Stacyi, and an account of a variety"; "A revision of the Staphylinidæ of Australia," by Mr. Olliff; "The Helœides," by Mr. W. Macleay, F.L.S.; "Description of the three new species of mammals from north-west Australia," by Mr. E. P. Ramsay, F.R.S.E.; "A description of two species of Australian birds' eggs," by Mr. A. J. North. Mr. Maiden exhibited specimens of the sago and tobacco referred to in his paper, together with a specimen of the New South Wales Nicotiana suaveolens, for comparison. Photographs taken by Mr. Theodore Bevan, showing the method of preparing the sago, were also shown. Dr. Katz exhibited pieces of a ham, in which were found scattered small white, irregularly shaped nodules, consisting of carbonate of lime. Microscopic examination revealed nothing of the existence of parasites at these spots. It was not improbable that these calcareous deposits had originated from the presence of a kind of vegetable micro-organism (Actinomyces), which has lately been described by Dunker and Hertwig, and which is said to occur frequently in certain muscles of the pig, where it forms small whitish corpuscles. It gives rise to pathological changes in the flesh affected, so as to make it unfit for human food. The president exhibited a fairy stone, or siderite concretion, of a singularly artificial appearance, which was probably due to the axis of the concretion being perpendicular to the plane of stratification of the shale in which it had been formed. Also a rude stone axe or mogo, from the lower Namoi, the material of which was a kind of quartzite, formed partly of rounded and transparent sand grains, and partly of angular quartz. It appeared to have been formed by the deposit of siliceous matter in a bed of river sand by the percolating water of a hot spring. Mr. Fletcher exhibited a small collection of plants collected by Mr. Froggatt, at Derby, N. W. Australia. Mr. Macleay exhibited two snakes which Mr. Froggatt had lately sent him from Port Darwin. (1) Brachysoma simile, Macleay, and (2) Furina textilis, Dum. and Bibr. This last species he stated has been described by Dumeril and Bibron many years ago as Australian, but had been omitted from Krefft's and subsequent lists, from a mistaken idea, originating, he believed, with Mr. Krefft, that it was identical with the young barred specimens of the common brown snake Diemenia superciliosa. This re-discovery of the species by Mr. Froggatt terminates all doubt on the subject. Mr. Macleay also exhibited a small Hoplocephalus from Cooma, almost identical in appearance with Hoplocephalus flagellum, M'Coy, a Melbourne species, but differing in the number of sub-caudal plates and the form of the head shields. It would be necessary to examine a number of specimens before venturing to constitute it a distinct species. Mr. Masters exhibited a collection of insects from Derby, King's Sound, made by Mr. Froggatt in May last. Of Coleoptera there were 240 species, more than half of them new, but, with very few exceptions, of typical Australian genera. Small Carabidæ were numerous, but Buprestidæ, Cetoniidæ and other Anthophilous beetles were very few. He also exhibited from the same collection some Orthoptera, Hemiptera, and Homoptera of peculiar form and appearance.

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"223, Boundary-street, Liverpool, September 15th, 1885. Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons. Gentlemen,—Your 'Concentrated Cocoa' is a very elegant preparation, and about as near perfection as possible. The delicate aroma of the Cocoa is well retained. To invalids, its great solubility and absence of sediment will render it very attractive. Yours faithfully, E. M. SHELDON, M.R.C.S., L.S.A., &c., Sen. Hon. Surgeon, Stanley Hospital, Liverpool."—[ADVT.]

THE MINISTERIAL PARTY AT GRENFELL.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.)

GRENFELL, FRIDAY.

The Ministers and Mr. Hugh Taylor left Forbes early this morning, and reached Grenfell about 4 this afternoon, meeting with a cordial reception wherever population was found on the way. Unfortunately, the enjoyment of the journey was, towards the end, marred by an accident to the vehicle in which Mr. Inglis was being driven by Mr. G. H. Green, of Jandra station, in company with Mr. Ralph Halls, of Grenfell, who had come a considerable distance to meet the Ministers and accompany them into Grenfell. Mr. Green was driving a four-in-hand, and while going at a good pace the vehicle struck a stump, and the occupants were violently thrown out, the fore-carriage being smashed and the horses breaking away. No one was seriously hurt, but Mr. Inglis and Mr. Halls were much shaken, and the former subsequently, after arriving in Grenfell, became very unwell. The unfavourable symptoms, however, shortly afterwards disappeared, and Mr. Inglis is now much better.

Before leaving Forbes two deputations waited on the Minister for Lands—the first from what was called the Land Nationalisation Association, who represented that in the neighbourhood of Forbes there were thousands of acres of the finest soil, the property of the State, upon which they desired to see themselves and their children settled, but owing to the practice that now prevailed of selling suburban lands at auction the workers and toilers who were the foundation of the State were to a great extent debarred from making homes upon the soil. They suggested that the land be thrown open for actual settlement in from five to twenty acre blocks at a rental of 5 per cent. per annum on the unimproved value, with full security for improvements, and provision for future re-valuation on the same basis as that of the land value, exclusive of improvements. By this means it was urged that vast tracts of land now lying idle would be covered with the homes of a happy and prosperous people, and the State would derive a steadily increasing revenue that would far exceed in the future the amount which would be realised by the present sale. Mr. Garrett promised that the matter should receive careful consideration. The second deputation consisted of squatters and selectors, and they brought under the notice of the Minister several matters respecting which they desired amendments on the present land Act proposed in the bill which the Government intend to introduce. Mr. James Govan, of Weelong, president of the Forbes Crown Tenants' Union, urged a fair and prompt settlement of the land question, and the fixing of the rentals of runs in open court—that is, he advocated the upholding of the assessments by land boards. Mr. G. W. Seaton, of Gunningbland, advocated compensation for improvements. Mr. H. W. Grey Innes, president of the Condobolin Crown Tenants' Union, addressed the Minister upon the subjects of fencing, the eradication of pine scrub, and the settling of selectors on their holdings with the least possible delay. Mr. Thomas Eslie, of Blink Bonnie, urged an amendment of clause 50, giving conditional lessees the preferent rights to purchase during the currency of a second term of their leases; and that holders of converted pre-leases should have the same rights as conditional lessees. Mr. Reymond, vice-president of the Forbes Crown Tenants' Union, spoke in support of the right of appeal in disputed cases, the courts of appeal to be held in the central towns.

Mr. GARRETT, in reply, said he could not tell the deputation what the proposed amendments of the law would be; that would be unbecoming and unwise; but he could tell them a few things that the proposed amendment of the law would not do. He thought in the proposed amendments there would not be perpetrated the injustice which was evidently included under the fifty-second clause with regard to the the right to purchase. He thought they would not continue to inflict the injustice of giving a man a short lease of five years, compelling him within the first two to fence, and then confiscating the improvements at the end. With regard to extending the term by which all classes of conditional purchasers could convert their leases into purchases, he could never see any good policy in fixing any time for the purchase. If a man cared to purchase at any time after the residence conditions had been carried out, he should have the right to purchase, and until he did care to purchase it should remain to him as a lease. As for the scrub, it was a great evil, and whatever could be done to encourage the Crown tenants to destroy it would be done. The Department of course was limited in regard to its power of labour; and it had been utterly impossible to deal with this matter of the scrub before the rents were determined. There duty of determining the rents had only just been concluded, and the next great work the department would take in hand would be dealing with the scrub applications. With regard to the fixing of the rents and the mode in which it had been done, they must as sensible men look at it in a light not altogether the tenants' light, not altogether from the way in which the result of fixing the rents might affect individuals. The matter would be looked at from a broad national standpoint. The land was the property of the whole State, and what a Minister had to regard was obtaining justice for the people of the country. The time when the general result of the fixing of the rents would be known had almost arrived. There were only about 190 runs, mostly in the Eastern division that at the present time required their rents to be fixed, and it might therefore be said that the task was performed. He was, however, speaking for the Government, grievously disappointed at the general result, for it was not what we expected when we gave the very great privileges to the Crown tenants of the land and fixed the tenure. With reference to the question of handing over the fixing of the rents of the Crown lands of the colony to the officials and the tenants, he did not think that was a policy ever likely to be in favour by the people of this country, those who were mainly interested. The Minister should act as the general representative of all, and must have the final voice in fixing the rents. To pass it over to a few officials and the tenants themselves would be an act of treachery to the people, to which he would never be a party. No doubt land boards made mistakes, and sometimes a Minister made a mistake; and he knew that when a mistake was made there was no opportunity under the present law of altering it. But now the work of fixing rentals had been done, he would turn his mind back to taking a very careful review of those cases in which he was convinced he had made a mistake. In approaching and dealing with this land question, his action would be with a desire to meet all the known evils and deficiencies. He had found the present law defective and cumbersome, and he was surprised the country had stood it for three years. He had on the previous occasion said something which inferred that he intended to restore in the proposed amended law the Acts of 1861 and 1875. What he meant by that was in so far as they made the means of entering upon the land more easy, simple, and speedy.

Sir HENRY PARKES said he could say for the whole Ministry that their desire in dealing with the land reform was to carry out the simplest measure of pure justice that they could to the whole of the country. No one could more appreciate the labours and the merits of the persons who settled on the land than the Government did. He knew well that our policy ought to be to get people into the country, and not to have them concentrated in our large towns. But, as far as the law of 1884 was concerned, which never had been in favour with him, the expressions of opinion he had heard to-day showed him that it was very much in the position of the Irishman's musket; it must have a new lock, stock, and barrel, and the only thing that would be left would be the touch-hole. He was quite sure his hon. friend and colleague would do his utmost with the single object of doing justice to those who were present on this deputation and the whole country.

On the way from Forbes the Ministerial party lunched at the homestead of Mr. Dent, Oomah, and on arriving in the neighbourhood of Pinnacle Station, the proprietor of which is Mr. H. K. Crawford, the Premier received an interesting presentation. Across the road an arch of evergreens and flags had been erected, and the station men had assembled to receive the Ministers with cheers, and to present an address. This address, which was from the working-men employed on the station, tendered to Sir Henry Parkes their heartfelt thanks for the great kindness and consideration he had shown to the working-men in this colony, and appreciated fully the manner in which he had endeavoured to meet their requirements. Most of them, the address went on to say, were in a position to speak feelingly, having at times been in want, and could, therefore, appreciate his kindly action to those in real distress. They deeply regretted that he should have of late been insulted and pained by the language of ungrateful and unworthy recipients of the very liberal offer of employment held out to them, and they begged to express their approval of the manner in which he had dealt with the man M'Cormack and his followers. The address was signed by 34 working men of all classes on the station.

Mr. Crawford then presented Sir Henry Parkes with a walking-stick made from curly yarran, which had been grown on the run, and in doing so expressed the hope that the Premier would regard it in the future as a memento of his visit. This took place fourteen miles from Grenfell, and it was on the way from this point to Grenfell that the accident to Mr. Inglis occurred.

At Grenfell great preparations appeared to have been made to welcome the Premier and his colleagues. Triumphal arches had been erected. The townspeople were assembled to greet the visitors. The Oddfellows, Sons and Daughters of Temperance, and the school children of the town, with banners and flags, were waiting to form a procession, and preparations had been made for illuminating the town at night. The Pastoral and Agricultural Show was being held, and the visit of the Ministers made the day a general holiday. Several miles from the town many of the residents of Grenfell met the Ministerial party, and followed them to the end of their journey, and by the time the town was entered there was a long line of vehicles on the road, a number of them being four-in-hands. On reaching the first arch a general procession to the show ground was formed, and on the show ground addresses were presented to Sir Henry Parkes from the Mayor and aldermen on behalf of the inhabitants, by the Oddfellows, Sons of Temperance, and Juvenile Templars. Each address expressed the cordial appreciation of the Premier's great services to the country, and heartily welcomed him to Grenfell, and generally the reception of Sir Henry Parkes was of a most gratifying character. Among others who met the Ministers were Mr. Vaughn, Mr. Mackinnon, Mr. Gordon, and Mr. Colls, Ms.L.A.

THE BANQUET.

In the evening the Premier and his colleagues were entertained at a largely-attended and well-prepared banquet in the Masonic Hall, but the harmony of the proceedings was to some extent interrupted by the manner in which the toast of "The Ministry and Parliament" was proposed. The toast was proposed by Mr. John B. Donkin, and the tenor of his speech led Sir Henry Parkes to conclude that the Ministers had been invited to Grenfell in order to get something out of them, and though in rising to respond he was received with loud cheers, he declined to say more than a few words. Referring to the subjects mentioned by the proposer of the toast, he said so many matters had been dealt with foreign to the toast, and so little said of the toast itself, that he hardly knew what to speak about. (A voice: "The Railway.") He thought so. Well, he was obliged to them for the way in which the toast had been proposed. But as the Ministry and Parliament in what had been said had been forgotten, and as it appeared that he and his colleagues had been brought here with the object of getting something out of them, and as he had nothing to say to them on any matter of public policy, he begged to thank them and resume his seat.

Mr. GARRETT and Mr. ROBERTS also responded. The former, in alluding to the subjects of protection and railways, said the Government would crush out protection by railways, by giving the people on the soil the best facilities for getting their products to the seaboard, and through the length and breadth of the land. Railways to this district, he said, could be made at a much less cost than the ordinary macadamised roads, and a railway could be made to pay its own cost wherever common roads did pay anything back to those who constructed them.

Mr. Vaughn, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Mackinnon, and Mr. Colls responded for "The Parliament."

Mr. G. H. GREEN proposed "Our Guests," coupled with the name of Sir Henry Parkes.

In reply to this toast, the PREMIER spoke at some length, and explained his object for visiting Grenfell. He had visited Parkes, and he had pledged himself to visit Forbes. The other visit had grown out of that. In any case, he should have visited Young to get to the railway from Forbes, but he had received an invitation from the Mayor and aldermen of that town. A similar invitation had been forwarded to him from Grenfell.

Mr. LOWING, of Parkes, and Mr. C. BEARCHER, also responded.

Mr. GORDON, M.L.A., proposed "Prosperity to the district of Grenfell, combined with the commercial, pastoral, and agricultural interests", and Mr. Vaughn, M.L.A., replied to the toast. He said the Ministers had not been invited to get something out of them. They were only too glad to see them. He knew that nothing would be got out of the Ministry through their stomachs. They had been here in order that they might see for themselves the great resources of the district, and that was the only way in which anyone could judge of its importance and its claims to a railway.

The usual concluding toasts followed.

The town has been very attractively illuminated all the evening, and before the banquet a torchlight procession took place.

LATER.

Mr. Inglis, who, in consequence of the effects of his accident, could not be present at the banquet, has been attended by Dr. Knipe all the evening. He has been confined to his bed, but is progressing very well, and will be able to proceed to-morrow morning with his colleagues to Young. Sir Henry Parkes will present the prizes to the Public school children to-morrow morning, and will leave for Young, where the party are to be banquetted. The party will leave Young by train on Sunday night for Sydney.

THE NARRABRI AND WALGETT RAILWAY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

WALGETT, FRIDAY.

An influential meeting in connection with the Narrabri and Walgett railway project was held here last night, at which representatives attended from Angledool, Goodooga, the Bokhara, and other important places. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed, and resolutions were passed that all the towns in the north-western district be asked to co-operate in forming a deputation of delegates to wait upon the Minister about the 16th instant.

MURRUMBIDGEE PASTORAL AND AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.)

WAGGA WAGGA, FRIDAY.

The show dinner last night was very successful. The attendance numbered 70. The president, Mr. T. W. Hammond was in the chair, and Mr. James Gormly in the vice-chair. Mr. W. J. Lyne and Mr. G. R. Dibbs were among the guests. About £200 was offered in special prizes for next year. Mr. A. L. Faithfull gave a donation of £40. All the principal wool-broking firms were represented. The sheep dog trials resulted, out of an entry of fifteen, in a win for Peter O'Brien's Saxon, M. Keogh's slut being second. The sales of the third day were well attended, and in sheep there was good competition. Wilkinson and Lavender sold on account of A. L. Faithful, of Goulburn, four grass-fed four-tooth rams, one to Mr. Jenkins at 69 guineas, one to the same at 55 guineas, two to Mr. Mulholland for 114 guineas; on account of J. and G. Russell, 148 flock 4-tooth rams at two guineas; on account of J. E. Warby, 136 flock rams at two and a-quarter guineas. Wood and Horwood sold on account of C. Ayrey 20 stud 4-tooth rams to Boyd, Mulholland, Heffernan, and Bond; on account of James and Gray, 58 flock rams at two guineas. Braim, Thompson, and Davidson sold on account of F. L. Parker—1 6-tooth ram at 25 guineas; on account of J. Mack, Berribank, 26 stud 4-tooth rams from 80 to four guineas; 14 6-tooth rams, from 11 guineas to three guineas; and 37 flocks at one and three-quarter guineas. On account of W. Cumming and Son, Mount Fyan: 12 4-tooth flock rams, at two guineas; 389 flock rams, at one and a quarter guinea. A. T. Bolton sold, on account of M. H. Devlin, several stud short-horn cattle, at prices from 53 guineas downwards.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BALRANALD, FRIDAY.

7600 sheep, the property of the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, crossed the Wakool punt yesterday, travelling up the Edward River.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ALBURY, FRIDAY.

The following have passed through:—

For Melbourne (by express on Friday): T. Leahy, R. Hunt, J. Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Jas. Cosgrove, W. Duncan, Sir John Hay, Professor Anderson Stuart, M.D., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roberts, Mrs. Lumsdaine, P. J. Gandon, Mrs. Rolands, Mr. and Mrs. G. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce M'Calman, G. Gibbons, J. M'Andrew, G. D. Ballard, Andrew Scott, Lewis Barnett, R. Rothwell, J. W. Thompson, Miss Glover, M'Culloch, Wilson, F. G. Moule, Wilkinson, J. Collins, J. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. H. Coldham, Treatrail, Latyer, Miss A. J. Carter and child, Jas. Furphy, Maurice George, Henry Downward, Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw, A. H. Emerson.

For Melbourne (by ordinary): Thomas Dickson, Richardson, E. Aikenrow, W. G. Williams, W. H. Siddall, Master W. Siddall, Booth, Miss Robinson, Mrs. Booth, E. Holloway, A. Booth, W. E. Hovenden, Gilruth, Mr. and Mrs. Le Marchand, Treatrail.

For Sydney (by ordinary): Nil.

For Sydney (by express on Thursday): Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rayment, Messrs. Thomas Browne and H. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Rattray, Hanrahan, Miss Viger, Messrs. Learharnan, Henry Bennett, S. Grimble, J. A. Campbell, Lanigan, Mr. and Mrs. Lynch, Miss Francis, Messrs. C. J. Henderson and J. Numashima, Miss Leslie, Messrs. James Walter, Butcher, P. Cliff, A. P. Sykes, L. H. Lazarus, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Vanbergh, Mr. and Mrs. Marks, Mrs. Nahum, Barnett child and nurse, Messrs. H. J. Rawlinson, E. Stanley (Government Veterinary Surgeon), Mrs. Jones, Miss Hopelake, Lieutenant Oldershaw, Rev. John M'Neil, Miss Colburne.

For Sydney (by express on Friday): Geo. King, Brooks, Bowring, Mrs. Laverey, R. F. Wilkie, Mr. and Mrs. M'Murtrie, A. T. Pyncent, John Stevens, J. Little, E. W. Burston, F. J. Smith, Edward Adet, E. J. Spence, Sampson, Dr. Casey, Charles Arthur Casey, James J. Howard, Miss Bourke, Peacock, H. V. P. Harris, Alexander Amos, A. C. Grant, W. B. Marks, Dr. Wilkinson, Mrs. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Burns, J. Stephenson, Hudson, Chas. Davies, Bennell, G. Crisp.

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"Aled House, Holyhead, September 12th, 1885. Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons. Gentlemen,—The sample of your 'Pure Concentrated Cocoa' sent me the other day was really delicious. It was easy of digestion, and did not cause a feeling of drowsiness after partaking of it, as other cocoas do. I had great pleasure in prescribing it for two of my patients to-day, and will continue to order. Faithfully yours, ROWLAND P. WILLIAMS, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S. Medallist."—[ADVT.]

WAUGH'S Baking Powder obtained the only first-class award for highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

SKINNY MEN.—"Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigour, cures dyspepsia. At chemists and druggists.—[ADVT.]

LECTURES.

SIGHTS AND SCENES IN LONDON.

Major H. C. Dane gave a lecture at the School of Arts, Burwood, last night, on "Sights and Scenes in London." Having been introduced by the Mayor (Mr. R. Hardie), he said that night he would take a look at London—a vast and wonderful city. Every one in that mighty place was filling some mission, good or bad. There were thousands there who, rising in the morning knew not where they would rest in the evening. It was a fact that the chimney-sweeps and many of the idlers of London fared better on their "bits and scraps" than many artisans in the country; and the very birds, under their smoke-begrimed feathers, grew so fat that they became too lazy to sing. So large was it, that thousands of people who had spent years of their lives, nay, had lived and died there, knew very little about it. Giving a humorous account of his endeavours to find his way about, by the guidance of a map, he explained how he walked mile after mile along a street that was represented in his book as being half an inch long. As to population, there were over five millions of people there. It was a curious place to enter, was this scene of busy humanity. The train went over housetops, and under streets; it flashed past small back rooms and yards, and then went by handsome buildings that looked like palaces. You could shoot under the city in all directions. And then look at the names of the streets. There were 80 or 90 King, Queen, Princess, Mary, William, and other streets. How could a man ever tell when he got home? At considerable length it was explained how everything was upon a scale of extravagance. There was great wealth and great poverty, great rejoicing and great distress; and, naturally enough, there were very old people and very young. How did the children find their way about? In 1884 no less than 14,000 were lost. Some of them came back; but, alas! the friends of others never saw them again. Statistics were quoted relating to the 'buses, the cabs, the policemen, the houses, and the food eaten and the liquid that was taken to moisten it. Pictures were drawn of the bird-fanciers and the dog-dealers. Here was the dog-dealer with a string on every finger, and a dog on every string, and puppies with every dog, and more in his pocket, and—do not forget—a "pal" behind him to steal back the dogs as fast as he sold them! The poor were described. Some had drifted low because of laziness, others because of misfortune, others because of foolish crime, and others again because of family or other quarrels. Sketches of scenes in low eating and lodging houses in the east end were given. Even here that chivalry natural to manhood was often to be met with. Human nature was much the same as in higher strata. Were it not so, there would be upheavals that would wreck the higher society. And there were to be met with, going in and out amongst the poor, the highest, the purest, and the most beautiful of women ministering to the wants of those who were suffering from sickness, from sorrow, or from want. After a slight allusion to the various hospitals and charitable institutions, the parks were described, and Trafalgar-square was spoken of. Not only was this the centre of London, but also the centre of the world. Then the Houses of Lords and Parliament came in for a share of attention. A word-portrait of the opening of Parliament by her Majesty the Queen having been presented, comments followed with reference to English laws. These were the laws of the world. Of course, the lecturer "qualified" this, as an American; but the laws of England were based on equity, justice, and right, and therefore had to be respected by the whole world. Geographical London was dealt with. The rights and dignities of a parish were detailed, and the majesty of the historical beadle duly described. The real London—the City of London—was characterised as one of the most peculiar things upon earth. All sion to the trade guilds, and the many historical societies, led up to a description of a Lord Mayor and of a Lord Mayor's show, and of some of the old customs and rigets. The busiest place on the face of the earth was the city at certain hours of the day, where 700,000 business people set craft against cunning, honour against dishonour, and knavery against brains. *En passant*, the Tower of London, full of woes, and sorrows, and sighs, was touched upon, and then the Mint was reached. It was an easy stage from here to the Bank of England, a minute description of which was exceedingly interesting. The Exchange, of course, could not be missed—where speculators were ready to tear each other to pieces. Here was the heart of London, and every throb and pulsation was felt throughout the wide world. And amidst this rush and strife, an emblem of peace and purity, stood St. Paul's. It might take a month, but it would be worth all the time or patience requisite, to stay until one could get a clear dawn, and see the sun rise over great, vast, and wonderful London. The conclusion to be drawn from all that was to be seen and heard there was that there were two Englands—one was a cold and sometimes a cruel England; and the other was an England tender, warm-hearted, and true. The one was physical and the other moral England. And when the physical England did a wrong—and sometimes it did—the moral England was ready to apply a remedy, and see that justice, equity, and right were done. God grant that the day might come when the English people all the world over would be united together, not under one flag, but united together in a determination to do right, and to leave the world better than we found it, for such in the end was the mission of London.

There was a large gathering in the Pyrmont Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening last to hear Mr. Kethel, M.L.A., lecture, and Mrs. Innes and Mr. Edward sing. Mr. Kethel expatiated on "The Castles and Battles of Scotland," reviewing some of the decisive battles, and showed that the Scotch asserted their civil and religious freedom by the sword, and defeated their enemies, even the mighty Plantagenets, and stood forth even now as possessors of their ancient privileges. Mrs. Innes sang very effectively "Wae's me for Prince Charlie," "Flora Macdonald's Lament," and "The Birks of Abergeldie;" and Mr. Edward sang "The Battle of Stirling" and "Bonny Dundee," in his usual telling style. Mr. Campbell was the accompanist. The approval of the audience was given by rounds of applause; and votes of thanks were given to all who had taken part in the proceedings.

Last evening Mr. J. H. Legge delivered a lecture in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, to a rather limited audience, on "Wages, or the Distribution of Wealth." The chair was occupied by Mr. W. H. Traill, who briefly introduced the lecturer. Mr. Legge, in the course of his remarks, described the results of both the dissemination and contraction of capital in a community. He then dealt with its employment in industries of various kinds. Excessive competition in trade, he said, caused cheapening of values, and must result in lower wages. Healthy home competition, however, was beneficial, for it operated as a check to any kind of monopoly. It kept the field open, and it prevented the producer enforcing prices above a fair value for his commodities. It was a safeguard of the people—extending a beneficial influence over all. On the other hand, competition which was foreign and extraneous was a thing of evil. It struck the whole arena of trade and labour conditions, for the trade of other countries was brought into opposition to our own, and it operated to its disturbance. It engendered danger, and always exercised a depressing effect upon the home market. The lecturer traced the effects of the spread of wealth, and pointed out the line of divergence between free trade and protection, stating that freetraders advocated universality as against nationality. He spoke of the artisans of this colony having to compete with Chinamen; and remarked that China had had for a thousand years a people suffering from endless extortion and oppression. The Chinese had learned how little food men could subsist upon. In order to compete with the Chinamen—and great efforts were now being made for the development of Chinese trade—our artizens would have to produce articles at the same price. The result of that would be that they would earn the same wages, and they would have to eat the same food. The true principle to adopt to develop local industries, and to sustain a happy and prosperous community, was to shut our ports against those classes of goods which we could most readily and favourably manufacture here. If we wanted to retain our working-men here—men whom we had imported during the past 10 years at a cost of £2,000,000—and if we wanted to maintain the back-bone of the nation—the most industrious and thrifty of our labourers—we would have to adopt what the chairman had on many occasions advocated, a discriminating protective policy. The lecture at various points was heartily applauded, and at its conclusion Mr. Legge was accorded a hearty vote of thanks, on the motion of Mr. S. A. Byrne, seconded by Mr. T. Symonds. Mr. Traill afterwards delivered a short address, in the course of which he declared the distribution of wealth to be a question that went far above either freetrade or protection. It appeared that the rewards of labour were in exact inverse proportion to its weight, its toilsomeness, and disagreeableness. It was generally found that the man whose work was pleasantest and lightest was the best paid. The proceedings closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

The German papers publish numerous anecdotes of the late Herr Krupp. The Emperor William, when visiting the Essen works, displayed great interest in the working of the steam hammer, and Herr Krupp took the opportunity of speaking in high praise of the workman who had special charge of it. "Ackermann has a sure eye," he said, "and can stop the falling hammer at any moment. A hand might be placed on the anvil without fear, and he would stop the hammer within a hair's breadth of it." "Let us try it," said the Emperor, "but not with a human hand—try my watch," and he laid it, a splendid specimen of work richly set with brilliants, on the anvil. Down came the immense mass of steel, and Ackermann, with his hand on the lever, stopped it just the sixth of an inch from the watch. When he went to hand it back, the Emperor replied kindly, "No, Ackermann, keep the watch in memory of an interesting moment." The workman, embarrassed, stood with outstretched hand, not knowing what to do. Krupp came forward and took the watch, saying, "I'll keep it for you if you are afraid to take it from his Majesty." A few minutes later they again passed the spot, and Krupp said, "Now you can take the Emperor's present from my hand," and handed Ackermann the watch wrapped up in a thousand mark note.

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"151, York-street, Cheetham, Manchester. September 10th, 1885. Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons. Sirs,—I have tried the sample of 'Pure Concentrated Cocoa' you sent me. I have never tasted any cocoa so delicious in flavour; it mixes readily, and makes a very pleasant beverage. I shall certainly recommend it to patients suffering from certain forms of dyspepsia, and have no doubt it will be appreciated by them. Yours faithfully, J. WESTMORELAND, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., U.S.A."—[ADVT.]

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—SEPTEMBER 2.

Rodondo (s.), 1119 tons, Captain C. J. Nightingall, from Brisbane 31st ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. W. J. Holloway and 2 children, Mrs. Burlingham, Mrs. R. Stewart, Mrs. J. J. Dean, Mrs. W. Watson, Mrs. H. Hodson and 2 children, Miss Essie Jenyns and maid, Miss Bailey, Miss G. Caldwell, Miss Lawrence, Miss Nita Steele, Miss Kate Alma, Miss Kennedy, Miss H. Stuart, Miss J. Stuart, Messrs. W. Watson, C. Haege, F. Bilbridge, H. R. Jacob, Wyburd, H. Hungerford, Fitzgerald, A. Rolfe, A. Norman, A. E. Greenway, H. Hodson, Gerald Dillon, M. W. Irving, W. Carle, E. Vincent, R. Stewart, P. C. Colquhoun, H. Lee, Walker, A. Hall, Perry, F. Fallick, W. Norton, J. Shaw, F. Hillyar, J. Wade, P. Chapman, P. Smaire, F. H. Gibbett, F. Lawrence, F. Harris, F. Lawrie, J. Atkinson, Macdonald, W. Miller, Gustavus Siemann, Henry Cooke, Professor Jackson, W. Oakden, F. Walter, J. H. Phillips, J. E. Wren, F. N. Newman, W. E. Lloyd, T. H. Jones, W. E. Boyd, H. Humphries, W. Bullie, and 36 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Gambier (s.), 1554 tons, Captain R. R. Brown, from Adelaide via Melbourne, 30th ultimo. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden and child, Mrs. Kane, Mrs. De Burgh, Mrs. O'Connell and child, Miss Vivian, Miss Campbell, Miss Carrie Swain's maid, Messrs. George Leopold, George Carey, Phil. Stewart, A. Anderson, G. Davis, G. Lee, G. Lamb, Herbert Winning, A. Souter, Brewster, Phillips, Prince, and 36 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain Louis Tindal, from Melbourne, August 31. Passengers: Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. M. Fairbairn, Mrs. H. Cohen, Miss E. Wayn, Miss D. Ellerman, Miss Ellerman, Miss Smithers, Messrs. Brown, Ellerman, F. Hallett, Coronel, Hicks, Cohen, F. Rayner, E. Gough, F. Wallace, and 25 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited. Agents.

City of Melbourne (s.), 836 tons, Captain William C. Thomson, from Melbourne 31st ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Atkinson and daughter, Mrs. Vermuson, Mrs. Powell, Miss Dowman, Miss Boyle, Messrs. J. C. Read, R. J. Marden, Phillips, B. Martin, Nettlefield, W. R. Gutheridge, White, Stevenson, C. H. Richards, William Henty, A. Displissis, and 11 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Dupleix (s.), 1409 tons, Captain E. Chaboud, from Noumea 29th ultimo. Passengers:—For Marseilles, Mr. and Mrs. Artand and child, Mrs. Cant, Messrs. Long, Tardif, Moulin, Morelli, and 33 in the steerage. For Reunion, three in the steerage. For Mauritius, one in the steerage. For Sydney, two in the steerage. A. Conil, agent.

Index, ketch, 43 tons, Captain King, from Lord Howe Island 29th ultimo. J. Williams, agent.

Queen of the South (s.), 198 tons, Captain H. Wood, from Richmond River 31st ultimo. Passengers—6 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Freetrader, barque, 206 tons, Captain Henry Bowden, from Launceston 26th instant. Passenger—Mrs. Bowden. National Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, agents.

Colac (s.), 958 tons, Captain W. Donaldson, from Adelaide 28th ultimo, via Kingston 29th ultimo. Huddart, Parker, and Co., agents.

Lawrence (s.), 600 tons, Captain Cooper, from Clarence River 31st ultimo. John See and Co., agents.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—SEPTEMBER 3.

Salazie (s.), for Marseilles, via ports; Adelaide (s.), for Adelaide, via Melbourne; Keir, barque, for Newcastle; John and Winthrop, American barque, for a whaling cruise; Morning Light, schooner, for Brisbane; Ruakaka, schooner, for Auckland; Rodondo (s.), Wendouree (s.), for Melbourne; Barrabool (s.), for Queensland ports; City of Melbourne (s.), for Cooktown, via ports; Victoria (s.), for Brisbane, Thursday Island, and Normanton; Helen Nicoll (s.), for Grafton; Woodburn (s.), for Macleay River; Bellinger (s.), for Richmond River.

CLEARANCES.—SEPTEMBER 2.

Ranelagh (s.), 836 tons, Captain W. Sinclair, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton. Passengers—Mrs. H. Coutts and 2 children, Mrs. G. H. Buzacott, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. W. Ferguson 3 children and servant, Miss King, Miss C. A. Grant, Miss Hildebrand, Miss Vedder, Misses Julius (2), Right Rev. J. Hutchinson, Hon. J. M. Thompson, Messrs. C. B. Airey, R. A. Skinner, F. A. Long, Miller, Walter Chilcott, D. Collings, S. H. Jewell, E. B. Lindon, W. C. Oliver, J. P. Prattan, A. Harrison, F. Huggins, C. E. Morton, F. T. Humphreys, W. H. Yates, W. Russell, W. W. Julius, O. Vedder, and 23 in the steerage.

Quiraing (s.), 1106 tons, Captain R. Armstrong, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. A. H. Somner, Mrs. Warren, Miss F. Dod, Miss M'Hugh, Messrs. A. H. Somner, Cardew, Warren, Dunn, Captain O'Dwyer, Master G. Small, and 12 in the steerage.

Buninyong (s.), 2070 tons, Captain G. Worledge, for Melbourne. Passengers:—Mrs. J. H. May, Mrs. J. Hosking, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Jeffrey, Mrs. B. Hutchison, Miss L. Roberts, Messrs. W. Oates, J. Chamney, J. Phillips, J. Davis, L. Hirsohn, C. M'Intosh, P. Delaney, Robert Wright, Richard Pierson, Henry Martin, P. Mangan, B. Hutchison, Master Hutchison, and 32 in the steerage.

John and Winthrop, American barque, 321 tons, Captain W. H. Poole, on a whaling cruise, in ballast.

Colac (s.), 958 tons, Captain W. Donaldson, for Adelaide, via Newcastle, with part of original cargo from Adelaide.

Ruakaka, schooner, 43 tons, Captain J. J. Steele, for Auckland, in ballast.

COASTERS INWARDS.—SEPTEMBER 2.

Lubra (s.), from Newcastle, with 84 bales wool, 12 bales hay, 12 bales skins, 64 hides, 170 bags tin ore, 2 cases eggs, 1 cask tallow, 25 cases table salt, 1 cow, 5 calves, 5 pigs, and 13 packages sundries; Namoi (s.), from Newcastle, with 28 bales hay, 9 bales skins, 193 hides, 21 bags maize, 5 cases eggs, 146 baskets fish, 2 horses, 6 pigs, 4 coops poultry, 67 cases biscuits, 9 bags bones, 12 cases whisky, 2 cases machinery, 1 carriage, and sundries; Sydney (s.), from Newcastle, with 750 boxes candles, 130 boxes soap, 197 bales hay, 160 bags tin ore, 18 bundles skins, 22 cases eggs, 14 boxes tobacco, 30 cases beef, 47 hides, 11 bags hair, 3 pigs, 70 bales wool, 50 cases wine, 25 cases cornflour, 50 bags maize, 14 bags horns, 11 bags bones, 4 cornshellers, 5 casks tallow, 12 bags bacon, 8 casks wine, 1 horse, 24 head of cattle, 1 buggy.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—SEPTEMBER 2.

Mary Crossland, for Brisbane Water; Lansdowne, for Kiama; Victory, Amphitrite, for Richmond River, via Newcastle; Pearl, for Jervis Bay; Rose of Sharon (s.), coastwise; Elsinore, for Ulladulla; John Bell, for Bateman's Bay; Chieftain, for Newcastle; Formosa, for Camden Haven.

IMPORTS.—SEPTEMBER 2.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Rodondo (s.), from Brisbane: 7489 mats and 665 sacks sugar, 14 cedar logs, 42 bags tin ore, 18 casks tallow, 274 hides, 50 bags bones, 10 bales skins, 14 bales wool, 120 cases fruit, 34 pieces agricultural implements, and 84 packages merchandise.

Freetrader, from Launceston: 2301 bags potatoes, 36 bags peas, 505 bags bran.

Dupleix (s.), from Noumea: 1518 packages cobalt, 250 hides, 110 bags coffee, and sundries.

Gambier (s.), from Adelaide, via Melbourne: 3106 bags potatoes, 154 bags turnips, 79 bags earth, 1000 bags chaff, 33 bags oats, 478 bags onions, 1174 sacks flour, 6 crates vegetables, 15 bales kapok, 20 bales hair, 189 packages tea, 100 pieces stone, 40 cases beer, 10 cases sauces, 22 pockets 2 bags sugar, 6 cases galvanised iron, 10 cases empty bottles, 1 woolpress, 7 cases waters, 80 kegs butterine, 1 case piano, 10 quarter-casks whisky, 6 hogsheads and 2 quarter-casks wine, 4 bales skins, and a quantity of sundries.

Barrabool (s.), from Melbourne: 271 bags chaff, 64 bags onions, 7 cases tiles, 20 boxes raisins, 20 cases candles, 140 ½-chests tea, 3 bales woolpacks, 4 crates vegetables, 24 cases galvanised iron, 2 tanks raisins, 3 casks brandy, a quantity of sundries, and 300 tons for Brisbane and northern ports.

Colac (s.), from Adelaide, via Kingston: 3300 bags flour, 1000 half-bags 280 bags bran, 6841 bags chaff, 3 strippers. For Newcastle: 294 bags pollard, 600 bags chaff, 210 bags flour.

City of Melbourne (s.), from Melbourne: 11 packages asbestos, 277 packages tea, 17 packages tobacco and cigars, 14 packages rum, 238 packages brandy, 35 cases geneva, 6 cases liqueurs, 35 cases bitters, 20 cases schnapps, 95 packages wines, 161 packages whisky, 312 packages oilmen's stores, provisions, &c., 25 bars iron, 5 cases Old Tom, 20 cases hops, 11 packages oils, 8 packages drapery and softgoods, 67 packages ironwork, 5 packages woodware, 2 cases clocks, 200 cases kerosene, 229 packages machinery, 30 bags oatmeal, 27 packages dairy produce, 545 bags 220 half-bags 3 packages flour, 12 bags onions, 54 bags potatoes, 160 bags oats, 19 packages medicines and drugs, 40 packages merchandise, also four bulls for this port, 10 rams for Brisbane, and 55 rams for Rockhampton.

Ex St. Cuthbert, Inchgreen, Blackadder, Phasis, Panmure, Confluentia, Massilia, Valetta, Austral, Howden, &c.: 26 bundles Parkes shovels, 10 cases yam spades, 8 casks butcher knives, 320 camp ovens and pots, 3 casks BY scythes, 12 cases scythe stones, 8 hogsheads holloware, 30 bundles buckets, 600 cases wire nails, 190 boxes Globe horse nails, 5 casks tinman's wire, 10 cases tubular lanterns, 26 cases Austrian furniture, 30 cases Winchester and Snider rifles and cartridges, 4 casks tinned mattress wire, 4 casks rabbit traps, 6 crates copper boilers and measures, 5 casks fantail hatchets, 2 casks air bricks, 5 casks Scarborough trunks, 4 casks copper nails, tacks, rivets, and washers; 56 packages, containing Spong's mincers, herring twine, sad irons, lamp glasses, screws, lead pencils, chamois leathers, mitre tacks, chipping hoes, &c.; 224 cases Collins's weeds and Blair's axes and hatchets, 5 casks combination lanterns, 12 boxes union scales, 10 cases Ames' and Hobart's shovels, 10 crates money tills, 4 cases boring machines, 6 cases Boss and King lemon squeezers, 24 cases Victor sifters, 23 cases axe and pick handles, 3 cases scythe snaths, 24 boxes fly-traps, 2 cases egg beaters, 4 cases hay forks, 12 packages Mrs. Potts' sad irons, 36 packages, containing Disston's saws, air guns, chair seats, pot cleaners, tinned tacks, solder nz irons, broom and hoe handles, &c.—JUSTUS SCHARFF, 18, York-street.

Ex Amoy: 250 cases English, 250 cases Swiss D. M. milk; 50 cases L. and P. sauce, 100 cases Colman's starch, 150 cases Morton's pickles, 250 cases Morton's golden syrup, 10 cases Morton's seidlitz powders, 100 cases Morton's jams, 1 tank Taylor's cocoa.—D. MITCHELL AND CO.

Ex Alice Platt: 3 tanks Keen's ¼lb. D. S. F. mustard; 1 tank 1lb., 1 tank ½lb. D. S. F. mustard; 1 tank patent groats, 2 tanks Oxford blue, 5 cases 7lb. tins mustard.—D. MITCHELL AND CO.

Ex Francisco T.: 1000 cases, 130 cases kerosene.—D. MITCHELL AND CO.

Ex Afghan: 1600 halves, 750 boxes tea; 100 boxes orange pekoe.—D. MITCHELL AND CO.

Ex s.s. Shannon: Now landing, 12 cases mercantile stationery. W. E. SMITH, stationer, 28, 30, Bridge-st., and 227, 229, Geo.-st.

Ex s.s. Port Pirie: Now landing, 24 cases assorted mercantile stationery. W. E. SMITH, stationer, Bridge-st.; 227, 229, Geo.-st.

Ex Samuel Plimsoll: Now landing, 14 cases mercantile stationery. W. E. SMITH, stationer, Bridge-st., and 227, 229, Geo.-st.

Ex s.s. Hubbuck: To arrive, 26 cases mercantile stationery. W. E. SMITH, stationer, Bridge-st., and 227 and 229, George-st.

Ex s.s. Rome: To arrive, 8 cases Lett's diaries. W. E. SMITH, stationer, Bridge-street, and 227 and 229, George-street.

Ex s.s. Port Darwin: To arrive, 13 cases mercantile stationery. W. E. SMITH, stationer, Bridge-st., and 227 and 229, George-st.

Ex Cairnbulg: To arrive, 14 bales cream wove paper. W. E. SMITH, stationer, Bridge-street, and 227 and 229, George-street.

EXPORTS.—SEPTEMBER 2.

Buninyong (s.), for Melbourne: 2100 tons coal, 6 horses, 580 cases fruit, 1 package books, 1 package ironmongery.

Quiraing (s.), for Melbourne: 2500 cases fruit, 23 bales broom corn, 69 bags oysters, 31 bags nuts, 2 cases cigars, 36 bales wool, 6 packages machinery, 1 harvester, 14,730 packages sugar, 487 bunches bananas, 42 cases pines, 3 horses, 2 bulls, and sundries; also original cargo from Brisbane.

Ranelagh (s.), for Rockhampton: 600 cases fruit, 650 bags potatoes, 1150 bags flour, 50 bags onions, 60 bags oats, 300 bags maize, 75 packages drapery, 150 cases wine, 100 cases syrup, 175 packages oil stores, 600 bags rice, 50 packages tea, 10 crates stones, 150 packages hardware, 100 cases stout, 25 bundles wire mattresses, 8 drums caustic soda, 6 casks bottles, 50 cases drugs, 80 casks beer, 5 casks shale waste, 400 cases kerosene oil, 300 cases spirits, 40 kegs butter, 40 bales clothes lines, 83 ingots tin, 23 crates wheels, 9 cases seats, 1 case piano, 40 boxes raisins, 176 bars and bundles iron, and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—Arrivals: September 2, Roma (s.), from Normanton; Eurimbla (s.), from Sydney; Glanworth (s.), from Rockhampton. Departures: September 2, Derwent (s.), Cintra (s.), for Sydney. Burwah (s.), for Maryborough, arrived at Rockhampton. Balmain (s.), for Rockhampton, left Maryborough yesternight. Birksgate (s.), for Cooktown, left Flat Top Island early this morning. Katoomba (s.), Cooktown for Sydney, arrived at Flat Top Island this morning. Barcoo (s.) arrived at Cooktown this morning from Sydney. Yaralla (s.) arrived at Bundaberg this morning from Brisbane.

BALLINA.—Departure: September 2, Tomki (s.), for Sydney, at 7.15 a.m.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: September 2, Claymore, from Noumea; Kinderdijk, Victoria Regina, Taramung (s.), from Melbourne; C. Paulsen, from London; Maggie Taylor, Joker, Maggie, from Port Stephens; Newcastle (s.), Gwydir (s.), Boomerang (s.), Amy, Girton, from Sydney. Departures: September 2, Nellie May, for Honolulu, with 905 tons coal; Spurwing, for Tweed River; Wendouree (s.), Tasmania (s.), Western (s.), Maitland (s.), Gwydir (s.), Boomerang (s.), Newcastle (s.), Lalla Rookh, Malcolm, Fanny Fisher, for Sydney.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: September 2, R.M.S. Ballaarat, Cheviot (s.), from Sydney; Nurnberg (s.), from Bremen; Yarra (s.), from Marseilles; Mangana (s.), from Launceston; Beeswing (s.), from Port Kembla; Glaucus (s.), from Newcastle. Departures: September 2, R.M.S. Orient, for London; Gabo (s.), for Sydney; Ragna for Cape Town; Craigburn, Samarcand, Drumcraig, for Newcastle.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: September 2, Lindus (s.), at 9.30 a.m.; M. A. Doran, schooner, at 11.40 a.m.; Tannadice (s.), at 3.50 p.m., west; R.M.S. Orizaba, at 1.20 p.m., for Port Pirie, at 2.40 p.m., north.

(FROM BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

RICHMOND HEADS.—Departure: September 2, Tomki (s.), at 7.15 a.m., for Sydney.

CLARENCE HEADS.—Passed: September 2, a small steamer, at 10.10 a.m., south, too hazy to make her out.

NAMBUCCRA HEADS.—Arrivals: September 2, Surprise, from Queensland; Wellington (s.), at 8 a.m., from Port Macquarie.

BELLINGER HEADS.—Departure: September 2, Muriel Bell (s.), at 9 a.m., for Solitary Islands.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Arrival: September 2, Julia, at 5 p.m., from Sydney.

LAURIETON.—Arrival: September 2, Mary Laurie, at 5.30 p.m., from Sydney.

CAMDEN HAVEN.—Departure: September 2, Guiding Star, at 8 a.m., for Sydney.

MANNING HEADS.—Arrival: September 2, Rosedale (s.), at 9.50 a.m., from Sydney.

CAPE HAWKE.—Arrivals: September 2, Favourite and Dewdrop, at 11 a.m.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: September 2, Spurwing, schooner, at 4.35 p.m., north.

NELSON'S BAY.—Departure, September 2, Kingsley (s.), at 11.30 a.m.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS.—Arrival: September 2, Meeinderry (s.), at 6.15 a.m., from Sydney.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: September 2, Enterprise, at 7 a.m.; a barque flying PNFL at 5 p.m., north.

MORUYA HEADS.—September 2, Ariel, ketch, off the bar, passed a three-masted schooner-rigged steamer, black funnel, at 8.30 a.m., north.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrivals: September 1, Annie, Crest of the Wave, Glide, Norman, Violet, from Sydney; William Brooks, Mary Warner, Harold, from Botany. September 2, Allowrie (s.), Jessie, from Sydney. Departures: September 2, Allowrie (s.), for Kiama; Hilda (s.), Herga (s.), for Clifton; Bowra (s.), for Port Kembla.

KIAMA.—Departures: September 2, Trident (s.), for Jervis Bay, Santa Cruz and Escort, for Sydney. Passed: September 2, a large steamer, at 4.45 p.m.; a steamer at 3.35 p.m., north.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: September 2, Port Pirie (s.), at 4.10 p.m.; R.M.S. Orizaba, at 2.35 p.m., north; Lindus (s.), at 7.5 a.m.; a brigantine, at 7.30 a.m.; Tannadice (s.), at 1.35 p.m.; a schooner, at 7 p.m., south.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: September 2, Rialto, barque, from New York.

LOW HEADS.—Arrival: September 2, Pateena (s.), at 8.40 a.m., from Melbourne.

SWAN ISLAND.—Passed: September 2, Mararoa (s.), at 6.20 a.m., east.

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LONDON, AUGUST 31.

Arrivals.—From Melbourne: Carlisle Castle, ship, sailed May 14. From Sydney: Julatrae, ship, sailed May 10. [This message has been delayed by interruption to line.]

(For continuation of Shipping Intelligence see Page 12.)

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market to-day there was a fair inquiry for good dividend-paying stocks. Australian Joint Stock Bank were weaker. Australasian Steam were dearer. Shale and Oil sold at a higher price. A good demand for Perpetual Trustees at an advanced price. The following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Federal Bank, 64s.; Bank of New Zealand (New Zealand Register), 16; Balmain Ferry Steam, 18s. 6d.; Perpetual Trustees, 11s. 3d., 11s. 6d., 11s. 9d., 12s.; Saywell's Tobacco, 20s.; Shale and Oil, 4s. At 4 o'clock: City Bank (new shares), 96s.; Saywell's Tobacco, 20s.; Shale and Oil, 4s. Closing quotations were:—

BANKS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
A. J. Bank	17	17½	N. S. Wales	61½	62½
City, ex new issue	16½	16½	New Shares	—	—
New issue, £3 paid	95/	97/	N.Z., Syd. reg.	16¾	17¼
Commercial	112	114	Ditto, N.Z. reg.	15¾	16¾
Mercantile	6	6½	Q'land National	9½	9¾
Com. of Austr.	8¼	—	Rl. Bk. of Qd.	90/	92/
Federal	63/6	65/	Union	55	—
			National of Australasia	9½	—

STEAM.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australasian	13½	14½	Newcastle	12/	—
Balmain Ferry	18/	19/	Ditto new shares, 10/ paid	—	10/6
C. R. R.	7¼	—	N. Shore Ferry	40/	—
Ditto preferent	13½	—	Port Jackson	57/6	60/
Hunter River	8¾	—			
Illawarra	7¼	7¾			

INSURANCE.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
General	7	7½	New S. Wales	1/	1/3
Austra. Mutual	14/	—	New Zealand	63/	—
City Mutual	1/2	1/5	Pacific	18/6	20/
Hull & General	3/9	—	Sydney Mutual	—	—
Merc. Mutual	3/10	4/	United	—	69/

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Aus. Gas, ex new	15	15½	Mont de Piete	19/6	20/6
New, first call paid	6¾	6½	Perkins & Co.	42/	44/
C'maine Brew.	28/	—	Ditto (new)	—	27/
City Carrying	5/6	—	Saywell's	19/9	20/
Emu Gravel & Road Metal	—	16/	Shale and Oil	3/9	4/3
Hudson Bros. 17/6 paid	1/	2/6	Exchange	13	—
			Vol. Ld. Order	—	167
			Perpetual Trustee Co.	13/	12/9

LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Anglo-A.I.F.I	5¼	5½	Syd. Freehold.	18/9	20/
Ditto, £1 paid	21/6	23/	Syd. & Provincial Land	—	5
C. B. and In.	63/	—	Syd. and Sub.	4¼	5¼
Excelsior	60/	—	Syd. Permanent	34	36
Mer. B. L. & In.	—	20/	Industrial Provident	22½	—
Ditto, 7s paid	—	6/3			
Metrop. B. & I.	5	—			

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
New S. Wales Funded	100	—	Debentures due 1902	—	—

It is announced by special advertisement that the share list of the Centennial Chambers Company will close on Tuesday, the 6th instant.

The Bank of England rate, which was raised from 2 per cent. to 3 per cent. on the 4th August, was yesterday further advanced to 4 per cent. In the light of the cablegrams which have come to hand since the rate was fixed at 3 per cent. the present advance could hardly have been anticipated, as the drain on the reserves was stopped, even a slight addition having been made to them. The amount was increased weekly from £11,100,000 on the 4th to £11,800,000 on the 25th August; the proportion of reserve to liabilities being increased from 38 per cent. to 42 per cent. But from some unexplained cause, probably to stop some threatened withdrawal of gold, the rate has now been raised. The advance to 3 per cent. was due to considerable withdrawals of gold. The *Economist* of 23rd July mentions that to that time £400,000 had been shipped to Buenos Ayres, and £200,000 more was likely to go in a few days. This would reduce the bank's stock of coin and bullion to less than £22,000,000, which was smaller than it had been at the same period of the year for a long time previously, except in 1886, when the bank rate stood at 2½ per cent., rising a few weeks later to 3½ per cent.; and afterwards, through the efflux of gold, to 4 and 5 per cent. And it is said that the position, as regarded prospective gold withdrawals, was certainly not more favourable than it was 12 months ago, for there was a steady absorption of gold by Germany; and the probability that before very long, considerable withdrawals would be made for the United States. The *Economist's* prediction was thus realised within 11 days, and the present further advance would appear to indicate that the market is tending in the same course as at the corresponding period of 1886.

In the Import markets the month so far has not opened with much activity. Although there have been fewer applications for assistance than in some past months, the monetary pressure cannot be said to be over. But as the receipts for wool and produce come into the hands of graziers and farmers, doubtless the outstanding accounts of storekeepers will be met more freely, and, in their turn, they will be able to meet the claims of distributors. Hence the position of importers will be improved, and the whole chain of credit which binds the different branches of the community will be strengthened. Although the trade cannot be said to be large, in some respects it is more satisfactory than when it was larger; for as stocks generally are more nearly in accordance with the requirements of the market, holders do not feel themselves forced to sell at undue concessions, such as were given when there was a glut of goods. The abolition of the tariff has to a considerable extent contributed to this result, as importers have moderated their shipments so that they may hold no more goods than are needed for immediate requirements. The flour market exhibits no fresh movement, buyers operating in small lines only at the following quotations:—Adelaide, £9 10s. to £9 15s.; South Australian country, £9 to £9 5s.; New South Wales, £9 5s. to £10; Victorian, £8 15s. to £9 5s.; roller, £9 15s. to £10 15s.; wheat, 3s. 9d. to 3s. 10d. In tea at the moment there is not very much doing. A few hundred half-chests of common tea have been placed at 28s. 6d. to 29s.; and trade lines of other grades. Coffee has been steady at about 1s. 1d. for No. 1 Ceylon Plantation. Barry's chicory, 2½d. Epps's cocoa is still scarce, and 1s. 8½d. is required—a penny less accepted for forward delivery. Although a weaker market for currants is noted in Melbourne, sales were still made to-day at 5¾d. to 5½d.; for elemes, 4¾d. to 5d. required; sultanas moved at 5¾d. to 6d. Fine table rice is at £14, market still being weak; lower grades, £12 to £13; stocks of all descriptions heavy. Sago and tapioca, 2¼d. White pepper obtainable at 1s. 3½d.; black, 10d. A moderately good business noticed in sugar at from £22 10s. to £24 for whites, 140 tons having been placed in three or four lines, including soft and hard dry kinds. Yellows still in moderately good request at about £19 to £21. Not much doing in rations. The deliveries for the week comprise 15,300 packages. By way of Melbourne we have Mauritius news to the 17th August. The total shipments of sugar for the last crop amounted to 102,107 tons, compared with 111,949 tons during the previous season, leaving as stock 6600 tons, against 8600 tons at the same date in 1886. Of the shipments 18,316 tons were to Australasia. None of the old crop of sugars remained in first hands. Of the new crop, only 1090 tons had been received in town, and it would be quite the middle of September before any fair assortment of new sugars would be available for shipment. The only shipments for Australia were the Aretas, for Adelaide, 241, at 22s. 6d. and £5 per ton; and the Orange Grove, for Melbourne, at 18s. and 50s. per ton. The Thurso, 491, had been engaged for Melbourne on ship's account. Exchange.—On London, 90 days' sight bank drafts 47 per cent. premium; document or credit bills, 43 per cent. premium. On Australia, 60 days' sight bank drafts, 47 per cent.; document or credit bills, 45 per cent. premium. On India, 30 days' sight bank drafts, ½ per cent. discount; document bills, 1 per cent. discount. Locally we note a good inquiry for rock salt, which to land is procurable at 90s. Liverpool coarse is going off at 70s. Champion's vinegar, to arrive in October, was done at 6s. In fish, poor quality salmon, on the spot, was sold at 8s. 9d.; for the best fish, 9s. is required, a price regarded as fully warranted in the face of cables advising the San Francisco market as 2 dollars 10 cents, and a considerable part of the orders sent from this being executed only in part, and some not executed at all at the prices offered. Sardines are still procurable at 4s. for quarters, 7s. to 7s. 3d. being asked for halves. Salad oils and pickles in very limited request. Though there is rather more inquiry for hops and malt, indicating a better business later on, sales are yet comparatively light. Country buyers are not buying with the customary freedom. No change can be made on recent current rates. Liquids of all kinds have so far had but comparatively small attention for the first of the month. Robertson's and Jamieson's whisky have been placed at current rates. Prices generally are without alteration. In metals, a steady inquiry continues for galvanised iron at late market rates. Fencing wire of best brands in 10-ton lots moving off at £9 5s. and £10 5s. for No. 8 and No. 10 respectively. For sheet lead there is very little inquiry at the moment, and £17 10s. is about value, concessions being made in some cases. Tin plates, 17s. to 17s. 3d. for lots; to arrive business has been done at from 3d. to 6d. less. Wire nails are getting into very small stocks, holders clearing out in view of the duty going off next month. Muntz metal is rather firmer consequent on an advance of a farthing as advised by mail in the home market; 5d. to 5¼d. is quoted as value. In oils, kerosene is still at the high rates 1s. 10d. to 1s. 10½d. for low test, and 2s. 1d. to 2s. 2d. for high test, but at these figures buyers are only taking very small lots, pending the receipt of shipments expected at the end of the month, and which have been very largely bought up at 1s. 6d. to 1s. 7d. for low test, and 1s. 8d. to 1s. 9d. for high test. Castor and China unaltered. Drugs are dull of sale. Cream of tartar still scarce; business to arrive at 1s. 4½d. In jute goods, woolpacks are worth 3s. 10½d. to 4s; but transactions are small, buyers holding off as long as possible in the hope of an easier market. For cornsacks 6s. 6d. is asked. Cement is at 14s. 6d. for ordinary brands, Melbourne holders being induced by the higher prices to offer in this market, though these barely admit of transhipment expense.

The barque C. Paulsen, with a general cargo valued at £11,900, arrived at Newcastle to-day from London.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £2716 10s. 11d.; wine (still), £240 6s. 1d.; wine (sparkling), £64 16s.; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £175 4s.; tobacco and snuff, £61 10s.; tobacco, unmanufactured (for manufacturing purposes only), £1189 4s.; cigars, £528 3s. 6d.; cigarettes, £19 13s. 9d.; tea, £280 18s. 9d.; coffee (roast), £2 7s.; coffee (raw), £22 7s. 9d.; chicory (raw), £20; sugar (unrefined), £236 17s. 8d.; sugar (molasses), £15 2s. 10d.; opium, £49 16s.; rice, £38 4s. 1d.; dried fruits, £46 12s. 4d.; sarsaparilla (under 25 per cent.), 16s. 8d.; specific duty, £1240 5s. 10d.; ad valorem, £1341 12s.; harbour and light rates, £10 11s. 4d.; pilotage, Sydney, £45 11s.; harbour dues, £2 10s.; colonial distilled spirits, £51 6s. 5d.; excise on tobacco, £1085 2s. 6d.; excise on beer, £1271 6s. 3d.; Chinese restriction, £10; fisheries royalty, £8 2s. Total, £10,774 16s. 7d.

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, AUG. 31.

The directors of the Bank of England have to-day raised the rate of discount to 4 per cent.

SEPT. 1.

The weekly returns of the Bank of England show that the proportion of the reserve to liabilities is 42 per cent. The total reserve in notes and bullion amounts to £11,700,000.

The market rate of discount is quoted at 3¼ per cent.

Tin, £102. The stock of tin on hand in England and Holland is 7000 tons.

The stock of tallow on hand in London is 17,000 casks.

The stock of copper on hand in England and France is 44,000 tons.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Commercial Bank, £9; Federal Bank, 63s.; Tramway and Omnibus, 36s. 6d., 36s. 9d.

The breadstuffs market is quiet. Wheat, 3s. 9d. to 3s. 9½d., ex station; 3s. 10d. for shipping parcels. Flour sold at late prices. Malting barley is in demand. Sugars sold at £21 10s. to £22 10s. for whites, £18 15s. to £21 for yellows, and £14 15s. for browns. Hennessy's case brandy, 35s. 6d. Tinned fish is higher in price. Currants sold at 3¼d., in bond.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 7 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 7 p.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, 7 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 9.30 p.m.
MERIMBULA AND EDEN, 11 a.m.
BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE, 11 a.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 11 a.m., 1 p.m., and 2 p.m.
MACLEAY RIVER, 5 p.m.
CLARENCE RIVER, 5 p.m.

MONDAY.

SOUTHERN PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND AND WELLINGTON, 3.30 p.m.

TUESDAY.

PERTH (W. A.), INDIA, AND CONTINENT OF EUROPE, overland to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Ballaarat, 2.30 p.m.

UNITED KINGDOM, overland to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Ballaarat, 3 p.m.

BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 3 and 4 p.m.

CLARENCE RIVER, 5 p.m.

DESPATCH OF MAILS FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Despatched.	Date.	Letters.	Newspapers.	Late Letters for United Kingdom only.
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For rates to places other than the United Kingdom see "Postal Guide."

Mails for the United Kingdom per P. and O. Company's steamer Ballaarat will be due in London on the 18th October.

PARCEL MAIL.

Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom, and certain Foreign Countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the Parcels Office, George street, for transmission per Orient Company's steamer Oroya up to noon on Friday, the 9th September. Parcels not exceeding 2lb. in weight, 2s; for every additional pound or fraction thereof, 1s.

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ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

BATT, RODD, AND PURVES.—On the ground, Rock Farm, Parramatta, at 3, Land.
DUFF AND COLLINS.—On the ground, Gosford, Land.
GARRARD AND HAMILTON.—On the ground, Balmain, at 3.15, 3.45, 4, and 4.15, Houses and Land.
R. H. PALMER.—At 77, George-street, Camperdown, at 3, Furniture, Fancy Goods, Ironmongery, &c.
G. B. BROWN.—At 54, Cottenham-street, Glebe Point, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.
SAUNDERS AND CO.—At 136, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.
E. FRENCH.—At Newtown Markets, Newtown, at 3, Furniture, &c.
F. L. BARKER.—At Stores, at 9.30, Horns, Bones, &c.
DONALDSON AND CO.—At Lion Arcade, Newtown, at 3, Unredeemed Pledges.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At Stores, at 10, Sheepskins.
LENEHAN AND CO.—At 637, George-street, at 10, Furniture, &c.
J. P. LISTER.—At Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
J. T. RILEY AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1887.

The reredos controversy is at an end, so far as the Synod is concerned. Late last evening MR. CRANE withdrew his resolution, after two days' animated debate upon it. After the BISHOP delivered his short address upon the question, in which he said that the Synod had no right at all to deal with the matter, and that to force it to a verdict was unwise, as the matter lay entirely in the hands of the Chapter, there was no resource left the mover of the resolution but to take the course he did. As to the legality of the erection of the reredos there could be no doubt, and it was not questioned by most of those who supported the resolution, but that the Synod was a court of appeal to which disaffected people could come in order to induce it to bring pressure to bear upon the Chapter, which is the bona fide court of the Cathedral, was an impression which had undoubtedly a strong hold upon many. If the Synod had agreed to

Mr. CRANE'S resolution, the Chapter would have been asked to reverse a decision which they had deliberately given and faithfully upheld. If the amendment of the Archdeacon of CUMBERLAND had been carried, it would have been the duty of the Synod to forward a request ludicrous in its nature to the Chapter for a modification of the work of art, upon which no two men would have an opinion exactly alike. Art would fare but badly, we fear, in the hands of Synods generally. To ask that the work of the sculptor should be chiselled out, and the story that he has told be shaped anew according to the conceptions of a Synod committee, or some other iconoclastic body, is slightly worse than an appeal for its removal together. Had the Synod gone to division upon the resolution it would have been to all intents and purposes a party test, which the Church is far better without. Victory for either side in a case of this sort is of very doubtful benefit, and nothing better could have happened than that the present conflict should end as it did last night. A vote would have intensified feeling. The withdrawal has softened it.

The difficulty has not been a pleasant one for the outside world to observe. The significance of the reredos is to the liberal thinking public nothing beyond an artistic symbol, which can appeal in no essential way to the religious natures of men and women, unless there is in them a certain predilection for spiritual object-teaching. Something more than this has been made out of it by the dissentient members of the Church. They saw in the sculptured forms on the piece of altar decoration something more dangerous than the portraiture of the same figures in stained-glass windows. It was, after all, in re lity but a misunderstanding on the arts of sculpture and painting. But some good people made out of the difference a stumbling-block to devotion and a return to mediæval uses injurious in their nature. It does not seem to us that the Church of England has much to fear from image worship. That is a past issue which it is folly to resurrect in this period of the history of the Church. She has more to fear from unhappy differences which spring from the want of comprehensive and liberal thought among its members. It has been said during this discussion, and it is constantly repeated elsewhere, that the Church of England is broad enough to give shelter to the teachers of the most divergent views upon non-essentials. But while this is true, there is constantly to be seen the most painful conflicts over things that are not essentials, and in which humanity generally is in no whit concerned. The tendency is to magnify little things, and to cherish pet theories which grow into essentials by their importance to the individual, and what was first an ecclesiastical riband becomes a spiritual belt. Then comes the friction which is natural to all social and religious contact, with the results which we see. The author of "Human Intercourse," when touching upon religious associations, observes that the livelier our interest in anything is the more does acquiescence in matters of detail appear essential to us. He holds the idea that it is often easier for people who are antipodal in their education and habit and birth to come together upon a common ground than for those who agree perhaps upon larger things, and are antagonistic upon trifles. Such a condition seems to hold good in the case that has been vexing the Synod. The debate was at times bitter, and the interpretation of the question was so mixed up with religious convictions of a pronounced type that to the outside world it might easily have been conjectured that a crisis in the Church was imminent.

It was, however, but a critical point, not a crisis. However the Chapter decides in the matter, it is not likely to come up again in Synod, and the interests of religion will be best served if public attention is not directed to it in the future in any way. If every such matter was to be brought before Synod, the door would be opened to every vestry quarrel which sets a parish by the ears. There can be no doubt that those who protested against the reredos were moved by personal feelings in the matter, as much as by the vindication of a principle. The materialising of sacred figures is repugnant to the tastes of many, and undoubtedly such tastes have a right to be respected; but there should be a great deal of give and take in these matters. It is not as if there could be no worship outside of any special place. It would be pleasant if everybody's wishes could be met; but, failing that, the majority must rule in religious as in secular matters, and the minority ought to bow to the principle of the greatest good to the greatest number. The influence of the Church of England upon the community is great; but the public are shocked too often by the discussions that occur in her communion. Sometimes they cannot be helped, and they are not a sign of her indifference to the needs of humanity; still the less prominence there is given to them the better it will be all round. The broader the religious bodies become in their treatment of all questions, the better will it be for the world. Humanity in every decade must be touched differently, but the Church does not always grow with the time. There are more outside the pale of real religious communion than there are inside, and missions are needed for the civilised more than for the barbarian. When churchmen fully recognise this fact, and move to meet the need as their faith teaches them they should, they will not have time for reredos controversies, but will rather leave such things to those who are set to pronounce upon them, as, after over a year's controversy, the churchmen of Sydney have decided to do.

The case of THOMAS FINNEY, who, at the Central Criminal Court, on Monday last, was convicted of maliciously wounding his father in Redfern, illustrates the hardship which often accompanies the administration of the criminal law. According to the evidence given on behalf of the Crown, a dispute took place on the 6th of July between the father and mother of the prisoner respecting a watch and chain, of which the father desired to obtain possession. His demand having been refused, the father used violent and threatening language towards the prisoner's mother, and then left the house. He was walking away when his son, who had heard what passed, went after him, and fired six shots at him with a revolver. Three bullets took effect, causing slight wounds in the legs and in the right arm. Information of the occurrence was given to the police, but in the meantime the prisoner, who admitted having shot his father, gave himself into custody. Upon these facts he was indicted, under section 22 of the Criminal Law Amendment Act, for maliciously wounding his father with intent to do grievous bodily harm; and had he been convicted under this section, he would have been liable to penal servitude for life. Section 372, however, of the Act provides that where, on the trial of any person for any offence under section 22, the jury are satisfied that the accused is guilty of wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm, but are not satisfied that he is guilty of the intent charged, they may acquit him of the intent and find him guilty under section 24 of maliciously wounding. In the latter case a conviction carries with it a liability to penal servitude for five years. In the present case the jury appear to have taken the more merciful view, possibly because they accepted the statement of the prisoner that he only intended to frighten his father, and not to do him any injury. They found him guilty of maliciously wounding only, and he was sentenced to four years' hard labour in Darlinghurst gaol. The sentence was no doubt a severe one, and it has attracted a certain amount of comment. There cannot, however, be any doubt that Mr. Justice STEPHEN acted rightly, and that under all the circumstances of the case he could hardly have been justified in inflicting a punishment of a merely nominal kind.

The offence was clearly deliberate. A man might be supposed to act from the dictates of incontrollable impulse if he should snatch up a revolver and fire a single shot from it in a moment of passion. But the same excuse can hardly be made for him who follows another and discharges six shots one after another. It might have been expected that the mere sound of the first report would have brought the unfortunate young man to his senses, however much he might have been carried away by indignation. But not only did he deliberately discharge the whole of the six chambers of the revolver at his father, but he subsequently expressed to the police something which was very like a regret that he had not done him more serious injury. No doubt the provocation was very great; but provocation cannot justify anybody in making himself the judge in his own case, and in taking the law into his own hands. It is just because the inducements to commit crime are often so strong that the law has been obliged to provide a strong motive for not giving way to them. And crimes of the kind committed by the prisoner are more often than not the result of passion. Men rob or steal, or even commit murder, from motives of gain as often as from any other cause; but they wound or injure under the influence of anger or to gratify revenge. It is, in fact, just this class of cases which the law is primarily intended to meet, and to put a check upon the passions of men by forcing them to remember the consequences of too hasty action. The sentence passed upon the prisoner by Mr. Justice STEPHEN was doubtless to some extent affected by considerations of this kind. His HONOR probably felt that it was first of all necessary to vindicate the law; that the principle must be maintained that in the interests even of civilisation no man can be permitted to right his own wrong, and that if the story of the prisoner were to be believed he had still shown a recklessness of human life. The facts in his favour were not such as the Court could regard as furnishing a sufficient reason for any marked leniency. If the sentence had not been marked by a certain severity, there must have been a grave danger that it might have been thought that provocation would be held to be an excuse, if not a justification for the use of unrestrained violence.

But now that the law has been fully vindicated, we may venture to hope that the facts surrounding this particular case will receive the merciful consideration of the Executive Council. And if it should be held that the sentence passed upon the prisoner could be very materially reduced, we believe that the decision would not only be in harmony with public sympathy, but that no evil consequence could follow. There is a marked difference between an originally light sentence and one which has been considerably modified by the exercise of the wise discretion which the law leaves to the Executive. In the one case the mildness of the sentence recorded must have the effect of leading to an imperfect appreciation of the gravity of the crime, and a belief that others like it will be treated in the same lenient way; in the other the initial severity remains as a deterrent, and those tempted to offend can have no reason to expect that the mercy which has been extended in one set of circumstances will be held to be appropriate in another. And in the case before us it must be admitted that the position of the prisoner was one which may excite no improper sympathy. What he did he did not do for himself; on the contrary, he was led away by a feeling which we can hardly help respecting, even while we condemn the action into which it led him. His story was that he acted in defence of his mother; and we must suppose that the jury and the Judge alike gave credence to his tale, because the former added to their verdict a recommendation to mercy, and the latter refused to inflict that maximum penalty which would otherwise have been appropriate to a deliberate crime. It must further be added that the prisoner had hitherto borne a character, not only unblemished, but in every way eminently respectable, and his one fault was committed under the influence less of anger against the one parent than of pity for the other. The picture of the sad occurrence is given with a touching simplicity and vividness in the words of the mother, "I said what makes you so pale; he was trembling and very excited. He said, 'Mother, this cruelty and wretchedness is more than I can bear.'" While the law exists for the punishment of crime it does not exist for the purpose of turning men of this nature into criminals. Mr. JUSTICE STEPHEN rightly did what was doubtless a painful duty in inflicting a sentence which might have a deterrent effect. We should be glad if the Executive Council could now regard a substantial reduction of the sentence as consistent with their duty to the public. In this case we believe that no evil would result from the exercise of mercy.

Mr. BURTON BRADLEY has done well to revive the question of an Artisans' Dwellings Act for Sydney. He says that some such idea was floating in the mind of Sir HENRY PARKES five years ago; but the fact was, perhaps, not very well known to the public at the time, and has since then been altogether thrust out of sight by matters which have put forth more engrossing claims to public attention. It is to be hoped, however, that the PREMIER himself has not forgotten it, and that one of these days he will find time and opportunity for reconsidering the subject. In a city like Sydney, which is both a seaport and a centre of manufacturing industry, there must always be a considerable population of what Mr. BRADLEY terms "the handworking classes" requiring places of residence in the neighbourhood of their work. Some may be able to escape to the suburbs when their day's work is done; but the suburbs accessible to them are fast becoming crowded up, and the hope of obtaining fresh air and space by living outside the city, is becoming illusory. Others, however, cannot escape, because their engagements will not permit them; and how they are to be accommodated is a very serious question. But it is not a new one, nor are we without guidance as to the means of answering it. The same problem has presented itself in quite as acute a form in the great cities of the mother country, and it has not been found insoluble. We have not yet found a PEABODY in Australia; but it has not been considered desirable in the United Kingdom to trust to, or wait for the action of private philanthropy. Legislative measures have been passed to enable local authorities to acquire the sites of unwholesome dwellings and to erect upon them new dwellings suitable for the occupation of the classes dispossessed. By thus dealing with the matter in a large way, expense can be cut down, sanitary requirements can be met in a complete and scientific manner, and good accommodation can be provided at a comparatively moderate cost. It would be essential, however, that moderate rents should be charged, and it is this condition which removes such undertakings from the province of private enterprise. Capitalists would look for a better return for their money than they could expect from such investments. But even in Sydney, by entering into this business on a large scale, by adopting carefully considered plans, and by studying economy at every point, it should be possible for the Corporation, without charging unmanageable rents, to procure returns that would cover the interest on the money borrowed, and the cost of management. If the pulling down of rookeries is to be followed only by the building of handsome warehouses, the tendency must be to increase the evils of overcrowding. The people who are turned out of the rookeries must go somewhere for shelter; but where can they go if the accommodation previously available was insufficient, and fresh accommodation be not provided?

Although there was an agreement at the Colonial Conference in London as to increased provision for the naval defence of Australia, it is impossible to tell when the Colonial Legislatures will take the necessary steps to give the arrangement sanction and effect. It is not absolutely certain that they will all do so; but if they should, a considerable time must still elapse before the new vessels could be built and armed and stationed on our coasts. Meanwhile, who can assure us of the continuance of peace? The Government of Victoria is to be commended for the practical and business-like manner in which it is preparing for contingencies. The agreement with Messrs. HUDDART, PARKER, AND CO., who are having two fast steamers built in England, for their use by the Government as armed cruisers if war should break out, shows foresight and common sense. We do not know what are the terms, but it is probable that by no other means could the colony obtain the services which those vessels may be able to render at as little cost. One ground for this supposition is that the British Government has set the example in this matter by entering into corresponding agreements with the owners of some of the great lines of steamers trading from British ports. The next great naval war is not unlikely to be full of surprises. All sorts of theories and prophecies are afloat, but they have to be tested and verified. A short time ago a French admiral proved to his own satisfaction that the great ironclads would be of little use, and that torpedo boats would command the seas. Just now it appears that torpedo boats are at a discount. But amidst all the controversies there is a persistent belief that when England is next engaged in war with a naval Power her commerce will be made the subject of systematic attack. We know how effective such tactics were during the American war. It is in anticipation of such a danger that the British Government is providing a reserve in fast mercantile steamers built under express agreements with private shipowners for contingent public use. Similar considerations justify the action of the Victorian Government. The policy of our own Government in matters of defence is surrounded by mystery; but the question whether we might not also follow the example of the British Government is not altogether unworthy of consideration. It was stated a few weeks ago that four fast steamers are to be built for the A. U. S. N. Company on the Clyde, and that the plans have been prepared. Would it be possible to take advantage of this opportunity to provide this colony with a reserve? We have at least as much interest as Victoria in the protection of our trade; and it should be observed that if our neighbours are known to be well protected, and we are known to be in a comparatively defenceless condition, our danger will be greater than if the positions of the two colonies had been alike.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

WE have received the following memorandum from the Electric Telegraph Department:—"Aden notifies that telegraphic messages for Mauritius should reach Aden by noon on Saturday."

THE Ministerial party arrived at Grenfell from Forbes yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and met with a very cordial reception. The enjoyment of the trip was to some extent marred by an accident which happened to the Hon. James Inglis, Minister for Public Instruction, a few miles from Grenfell. The four-in-hand containing Mr. Inglis and two other gentlemen was being driven at a good pace, and it suddenly came in contact with a stump on the roadside, the occupants being thrown out with some violence. No one was seriously hurt, but Mr. Inglis was so much shaken that he was unable to attend the banquet which was given at Grenfell in the evening to Sir Henry Parkes and his colleagues. Mr. Inglis was attended all the evening by Dr. Knipe, of Grenfell, and was progressing very well. It is expected that he will have sufficiently recovered to enable him to proceed to Young this morning with the other members of the Ministerial party. The Premier and his colleagues will leave Young by train on Sunday night for Sydney.

A DEPUTATION representing the trustees of the Necropolis, waited upon the Minister for Justice yesterday, with reference to the proposed discontinuance of the Parliamentary vote for the improvement of the Necropolis. Mr. Clarke, on going through the Estimates for this year, felt inclined to strike off the sum of £1000 set down for these improvements; but fearing that the trustees might be incurring expenditure on the strength of the Parliamentary vote, he allowed it to remain. He notified the trustees, however, that he intended striking off the grant for next year. The cemetery had been split up into sections, and given over free of charge to the Churches, and each denomination sold the burying-ground at fixed prices to those who applied for it. The revenue derived from that ought, the Minister thought, to be spent in the improvement of the cemetery. The trustees informed Mr. Clarke that the money was so spent, but the Government grant was required for the maintenance of roads. Mr. Clarke promised to give the matter further consideration before coming to a decision regarding it.

THE Minister for Justice yesterday received a deputation, representing the Sydney and Suburban Cabdrivers' Protection Union, with reference to some complaints which were preferred against Mr. Addison, one of the stipendiary magistrates at the Water Police Court. The allegations were that Mr. Addison, in adjudicating upon cases affecting cab-drivers, was unjust in his decisions. Mr. Clarke informed the deputation that the substance of their complaints would be forwarded to Mr. Addison, who would be called upon for a report regarding them.

A NUMBER of pastoral lessees, who are now on a visit to Sydney, have within the past few days waited upon the Minister for Mines, and have expressed their willingness to undertake upon their own responsibility the erection of a rabbit-proof wire netting fence enclosing their runs, provided they are guaranteed the advantages of any future legislation that may take place bearing upon the matter. Some of them stated that they had read with interest the accounts of the Ministerial trip through the rabbit-infested districts, and they fully appreciated the significance of the declared intention of the Government to help only those who helped themselves. Mr. Abigail assured the gentlemen who interviewed him that they might proceed with the erection of fences on the clear understanding that their claims would receive every consideration. They might depend upon it that Government would not overlook those who spent their money in endeavouring to exterminate the pest.

THE address to her Majesty from the women and girls of New South Wales, on her Jubilee, is at last ready for forwarding. It consists of a roll mounted on linen, containing about 20,000 signatures, appended to which is the following address:—"To the Queen, from the women and girls of New South Wales.—The loyal and dutiful address from the women and girls of New South Wales, who offer their heartfelt congratulations to your Majesty on the completion of the fiftieth year of your happy and glorious reign. They trust that it may please God to preserve your life, so dear to all your people; and that it may continue to be blessed with health, with the love of those most dear to you, and the deep affection and reverence of your subjects which are felt throughout your wide dominions, and nowhere more fervently than in this distant portion of your Empire." The address proper is on vellum, and is illuminated in a very artistic and classical manner. The initial letter of the word Queen is formed by the Order of the Garter surrounding the Royal Arms, surmounted by the Imperial Crown; and this piece of work is in itself very cleverly executed. The cover of the address is of rich calf of the Jubilee colour, and bearing the words in gold letters—"To the Queen, from the women and girls of New South Wales," and appended to the cover is a rich bullion tassel. The address and signatures are wound upon a roll, which is fixed between two pyramidical supports composed of the Imperial monogram, V.I.R. and crown, which is of chased and gilt brasswork, having a background of black wood and resting upon a plinth of the same wood, ornamented round its base with a border of acanthus leaves. The dimensions of this undoubtedly largest and most important address yet produced in the colony are 2ft. 4in. in height, and a base 2ft. 8in. by 2ft. 4in. The whole of the work has been designed and executed in the establishment of Mr. John Sands, George-street, and is a work reflecting great credit on all concerned in its production.

A COMMISSION for taking evidence in an action pending in the Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice between the owners of the ship Orontes and the owners of the ship Angerona, for damages arising from a collision between the two vessels off Kiama, on November 22 last year, was opened yesterday before Mr. S. Want. Mr. James Johnson appeared for the owners of the Orontes; and Mr. B. R. Wise, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Laurence, and Jaques, for the Angerona. The day was taken up by the examination and cross-examination of Captain Harwood, of the Angerona. The taking of the evidence is expected to last over several days. It will be remembered that the collision formed the subject of a Marine Board inquiry last year, when the blame for it was attached to the Orontes, and the board censured the chief officer of that vessel.

REPORTS received yesterday show that on Thursday the highest temperature reached in the shade was 78 degrees, and in the sun 105 degrees; but yesterday was not so hot, although the difference was not great. Warm weather has been general, and in the northern districts nearly all the stations reported from 80 to 85 degrees in the shade on Thursday afternoon. It was fine in most parts of the colony yesterday, but it was stormy at Albury, and snowing at Kiandra. Strong and squally winds from N.W. to W. were reported in the Eastern division; and fresh W. to S. winds in the western parts.

AMONG a number of matters dealt with in Chambers yesterday by Mr. Justice Innes was an appeal against the conviction of a Chinaman named Hop Sing, who was recently fined £50 with costs at the Redfern Police Court for slaughtering five pigs upon his premises at Botany. The animals were in reality killed by a butcher named Lung Lee, with the permission of his countryman, but a prosecution against the former having failed, the police lodged an information against Hop Sing under the first section of the Act 5. William IV. (Cattle Slaughtering Act), and secured a conviction. It was now sought to have the conviction set aside, on the ground that the pigs were not slaughtered by appellant for his own benefit, or, as far as he knew, for purposes of sale or barter, and further that the word "cattle" did not include pigs. Upon the latter point his Honor was treated to much learned argument by counsel, one of whom suggested that pigs might be considered as coming within the category of domestic animals in the same way as poultry. Counsel on the other side seemed astonished at even the bare suggestion of such a proposition; but he was reminded that as in Ireland the pig was sometimes elevated to a responsible and dignified position as the "gentleman who paid the rent," it was not so very remarkable that he should be described as a domestic animal. This, however, did not serve to elucidate the vexed question as to whether pigs were cattle within the meaning of the Act, and his Honor reserved his decision on the point.

THE Jury Court was occupied the whole day in the suit of O'Connor and Abbott v. Coleman, in which the plaintiffs sued for the amount of their bill of costs (£59) for work done as solicitors in 1881. The defence was that all the work performed had been already paid for. During the case Dr. Sly raised the point that, as the office at Narrabri where the work was done was under the charge of a managing clerk, plaintiffs could not recover their bill, as defendant was entitled to the services of a solicitor, and not those merely of a clerk. He quoted an English case, Hopkinson v. Smith, in support of this contention. His Honor held the present case to be essentially different from the one quoted, and to be somewhat analagous to the practice of large legal firms in Sydney engaging managing clerks to conduct different branches of office work. The result of the case was that the jury found for the plaintiffs in the sum of £44 11s. 9d.

ALTHOUGH it is satisfactory to know that the appeals standing over from last Term are to be disposed of before the termination of the present sittings of the Full Court, a considerable amount of inconvenience, if not hardship, has arisen, owing to the impossibility of getting general motions—which under ordinary circumstances are taken on Tuesdays and Fridays—dealt with by the Court. Some of these cases are said to be of an urgent character, and as in a short time a number of members of the Bar will leave Sydney on Circuit, certain business, now pending, will either have to go over until next Term, or the parties concerned will be forced into the expense of obtaining fresh counsel. The difficulty might perhaps be overcome by fixing a special day for hearing these motions.

WITH respect to the cablegrams lately received from London to the effect that the Roman Catholic Church had received a grant of 300,000 acres for missionary purposes in Australia, we are informed on reliable authority that there has been no application made for any such grant, and that none has been received. What probably gave rise to the report was the offer of the Western Australian Government some time back to hand over to any denomination which would undertake the work 640,000 acres as an aboriginal mission settlement, the land in question being, we understand, 2500 miles north of Perth, and of a very wild and barren description. The offer was considered by the Benedictine Fathers who for the past 25 years have been engaged in a Roman Catholic mission for the Church at New Norcia, West Australia; but we understand that it was declined by them, principally for the reason that if they undertook the proposed new mission they would be obliged, almost necessarily, on account of the fewness in numbers of the Fathers, to close their flourishing establishment near Perth. Regarding the reported introduction of the Trappist Order here, we understand that this statement is also incorrect. It is true that Cardinal Moran invited the Trappists to establish a foundation of their Order, in no way connected with any aboriginal mission, on an estate at Galong, near Burrowa, bequeathed for the purpose by the late Hon. J. N. Ryan, M.L.C.; but a communication has been received from the head of the Mount Mellery Monastery, Ireland, to the effect that the proposed establishment in this colony will have to be abandoned, as it is impossible to send the required number of monks for a new monastery so far away.

THE discussion on the proposal to remove the reredos from St. Andrew's Cathedral was resumed yesterday in the Church of England Synod, in the presence of a full house and a large number of visitors, including many ladies. The matter was debated at length with warmth and earnestness by both sides, and from many points of view. The debate ended shortly before 11 o'clock, in an informal conference, and the result was the withdrawal of the motion and both the contingent amendments, a conclusion which seemed to give great satisfaction. This apparently happy solution of the difficulty, for the present at least, arose out of an address by the Primate, wherein there was an intimation that the subject, which was regarded with such profound interest, would be reconsidered by the Cathedral Chapter.

ON Thursday night the Balmain branch of the Free Trade Association held their first monthly general meeting, at the Public Hall adjoining Dick's Hotel, Beattie-street. There were about 50 members present, and a number of new members were enrolled during the evening. Mr. Frank J. Smith, M.L.A., occupied the chair, and the feature of the evening was the delivery of a statistical statement which had been prepared by Mr. W. H. Wilks, the honorary secretary, and which was listened to throughout with marked attention. Mr. Wilks received a hearty vote of thanks at the close of his remarks. The chairman then delivered a short address on the working of the branch, and announced that another public meeting was being arranged for to take place at the west end of Balmain shortly. The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

AT a meeting of the members of the Protection Union held last evening, it was decided that Mr. John Osborne be requested to lecture in several towns in the northern district. The rules were amended as to the reception of delegates, &c. Subscriptions to run for 12 months from date of payment. The members of the council were appointed a committee to arrange matters re the monster protectionist demonstration and procession; the first meeting to be held on Tuesday evening next, 6th instant. Messrs. Thorpe and Sparkes were introduced as the delegates from the Parramatta branch.

UNDER the auspices of the Pyrmont and Ultimo Protection Union a well-attended public meeting was held at Ames's Hall, Harris-street, yesterday evening. Mr. A. D. Nelson, the president, occupied the chair. An apology for his unavoidable absence in Newcastle was read from Mr. Fletcher, M.L.A. Mr. Norton, who spoke at considerable length, moved the following resolution.—"That inasmuch as the effect of free trade in New South Wales has been to cripple and crush out native industry, and thereby to depress and degrade Australian labour to a European level, this meeting is of opinion that the time has arrived for the adoption of a judicious and discriminating policy of protection; and hereby expresses its belief that such a policy would encourage the influx and profitable investment of capital, and the more regular employment of skilled and unskilled labour on equitable terms, and thus tend to promote the best interests of the whole community." Mr. John Colborn seconded the resolution, which, after having been supported by Mr. John Osborne, was carried. Alderman M'Guire, of Balmain, moved the second resolution,—"That, to carry out the spirit of the foregoing resolution, it is desirable for the electors of West Sydney to unite, so as to make their full power felt at the next general election." Mr. W. Westman seconded the proposition, which was supported by Mr. O'Sullivan, M.L.A., and was carried. The names of a number of persons were subsequently added to the roll of the association.

THE monthly meeting of the committee of the Sydney Mechanics School of Arts was held on Thursday evening. The usual formal business was transacted. Eighty-one new members were elected. The payment of accounts to the amount of £158 18s. was sanctioned. The treasurer's monthly statement showed the total receipts for the month to have been £152 15s. 5d. The increase in the amount received for subscriptions over the corresponding month of last year was £18 14s. 6d., and likewise for lectures £7 12s. 6d. The balance at credit after payment of accounts would be £2 18s. 5d. The treasurer explained that, as instructed, he had placed £500 at fixed deposit for six months. The preliminary report was submitted and adopted. It dealt principally with matters connected with lectures and the lantern and accessories. It was shown by the receipts for admission to the lectures that the lectures are becoming very popular, and the committee decided to spare no pains to make them as instructive and useful as possible, as it was considered they are a great help to education.

THE monthly meeting of the Zoological Society of New South Wales was held in the Zoological Gardens yesterday: Dr. Geo. Bennett, vice-president, in the chair. The secretary's report will be found in another column. Among other details of business it was announced that the society's overdraft had been reduced by a special Government grant of £2000; thus leaving it at present at £519 14s. 7d. The gate-money showed no sensible diminution in the receipts, in spite of a continuance of wet weather. The health of the animals and birds has been good, and the collection has been added to by donations and purchase. In future, the committee will meet fortnightly, instead of weekly, as heretofore.

A MEETING of the William-street Mutual Improvement Association was held on Thursday evening Mr. H. Bush being in the chair. There was a very good attendance of members, and the interest in the various items was fully maintained. Mr. Arnold read the Manuscript Journal, which included articles on "The Political Outlook," "The Critic on the Path," "The Political Siamese Twins," "Modesty and Assurance," &c. All the papers were criticised, and discuss on was caused by an allusion to the land law of New South Wales and its proposed amendment.

THE third annual meeting of the Amateur Photographic Society of New South Wales was held at the Technical College, Sussex-street, on Thursday, September 1st, the vice-president, Major Wigram, in the chair. The secretary read the annual report, of which the following is a digest. The progress of the society during the past year has greatly improved. The number of members on the roll has increased to 54. The society has held a number of outings, Waterfall, Manly, Watson's Bay, Como, Middle Head, and other interesting spots being visited, the result being a large collection of valuable photographs to the society. Lectures have also been given by various gentlemen at the monthly meetings, the attendance being large and a vast amount of knowledge obtained. The society is making arrangements for having a gallery and dark-room of its own in some central part of the city for the convenience of its members, and the display of photographs. It is also the intention of the society to hold its annual conversazione in the Town Hall or other convenient building, on an early date. The prize for the best two photographs taken at the last outing was awarded to Mr. J. Ferguson. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:—President, Mr. E. L. Montefiore; vice-presidents, Major Wigram and Dr. Ward; treasurer, Mr. James Turner; hon. secretary, Mr. James Prior; librarian, Mr. John H. Rumsey; committee, Messrs. W. Hamlet, T. Jeanneret, V. Cohen, H. Paterson, and J. Jones.

ON Wednesday, the 11th Zelhedge, 1303 (the 31st August, 1887), some Mahommedan religious ceremonies were performed in 72, Bourke-street, Redfern, at 9.30 a.m. There are about 100 Mussulmans in the metropolis, who are natives of Calcutta, India. The majority of those in Sydney are members of Syyed and Shaikh sects. Abdoor Rubb, a priest lately from Calcutta, read aloud the "Koran," while all the devotees knelt down and joined silently. Just as the prayers were said Abdoor Rubb asked the Almighty Father in Heaven to preserve the throne of Turkey and the Empress of India, and also said to the devotees not to drink any spirits, &c., not to tell lies, but to be kind to the poor. The festival was preceded by slaughtering a cow and two sheep on the pray-ground, according to their religious rites. The cow was divided into three equal parts, of which one-third was kept for the owner, Abul Kassim Ali, one-third was distributed among the friends and relatives, and the remaining portion was sent to the Benevolent Society. The price of the skins (worth £1) was sent too. By the courtesy of Mr. Foxbury, Inspector-General of Police, three policemen were present to preserve order.

THE show of wild flowers opened at Marrickville on Thursday was continued with good financial success yesterday. The whole of the stalls had been re-embellished for the occasion. In the afternoon a very large number of the Public school children of the district attended, and for their special gratification toys in great variety were added to the numerous floral effects offered for sale. "Dante Glen," attended by Mrs. Warburton and assistants, proved one of the most attractive resorts. Here there was quite a profusion of staghorn ferns surrounding a waterfall, and bordered by some very pretty rockery. An exceedingly tasteful bonnet formed of native roses, native moss, and mountain daisies, was also a prominent feature. "Como," designed by Mr. Smithurst, and presided over by Mesdames Hoare, Brodie, and Smithurst, attracted a large circle of admirers, who scanned with interest the charming rustic scene presented to view. The fountain and fernery in the centre of the tent added considerable lustre to the general aspect and Mr. Graham's collection of pot plants were equally serviceable. The show will remain open today, and also on Monday and Tuesday next. Music will be provided in the evenings.

THE bazaar in connection with the Burton-street Tabernacle has been largely attended since its opening. There are still many articles undisposed of; and it is to be continued with its varied attractions on Monday and Tuesday next.

A SALE of gifts in connection with the Leichhardt Presbyterian Church was opened on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school hall, Marion-street. At the request of the Rev. Henry A. Hutchison, Mr. J. S. Hawthorne, M.L.A. for the district, in a felicitous speech declared the sale open, and complimented the ladies upon the very pleasing and tasteful display of articles for disposal. The various stalls and the ladies presiding over them are as follows:—Oriental stall, Mesdames Hutchison, Broom, Kelly, and Miss Harvey; married ladies' stall, Mesdames Goodchap, Mackintosh, Taylor, and Higgs, assisted by Miss M'Hattie; young ladies' stall, Misses Kilpatrick, M'Bay, and Dent; refreshment stall, Misses Murray, Edwards, and Parkhill; and flower stall, Misses Harvey and M'Kinnon. During the afternoon and evening a good business was done by the stall-holders, and in the evening the proceedings were enlivened by both vocal and instrumental music. The sale remains open this evening.

THE Birchgrove Literary and Debating Society gave an entertainment on Wednesday last in St. John's Schoolroom, Balmain North. The programme consisted of songs and recitations, and included dialogues from "Henry VI." and "The Two Gentlemen of Verona," and concluded with "The Two Office-boys." Mr. Ellis Robinson, vice-president, presided.

ON Thursday evening the Randwick Social Bees swarmed at the Town Hall, Randwick, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. About 150 were present; and, the floor being in excellent order, the dancing afforded more than ordinary pleasure. The Queen Bee and her co-workers were highly complimented upon the appearance of the hive and the arrangements made for the comfort of the bees and their visitors. The ladies' dresses were magnificent, and much admired. The room was tastefully draped with bunting, flowers, and evergreens, and the catering and music as at former socials. At 2 a.m. vehicular accommodation was provided for the transport of Sydney and other suburban visitors, who expressed themselves much pleased with the evening's entertainment.

MANY of our readers will learn with regret of the painfully sudden death of Mr. Charles Farrell, solicitor, which took place at the residence of his mother, Newtown-road, yesterday evening. In the early part of the day Mr. Farrell was in his usual health, but about noon he dropped down in a fit. Throughout the afternoon he remained in an unconscious state, and early in the evening he expired. The cause of death is said to be apoplexy and paralysis. Mr. Farrell, who was about 38 years of age, was unmarried. He was highly respected by the members of his profession and a large circle of friends. Much sympathy is felt for his mother in her sad bereavement.

CAPTAIN KING, of the ketch Index, which arrived yesterday from Lord Howe Island, reports that a heavy S.W. gale was experienced at the island towards the end of July, and some wreckage, evidently that of a small vessel, drifted ashore, but there was nothing which would lead to its identification. The U. S. S. Company's Taupo, which called off the island to land five passengers, reported having picked up a clinker-built dingy, and a pair of souls branded H.B., when about 15 miles out from Newcastle.

The *Argus* of last Thursday says:—"The Rev. A. Hardie, convener of the heathen missions committee of the Presbyterian General Assembly, has received further correspondence from the Rev. D. Macdonald, the Presbyterian missionary in the New Hebrides. It conveys copies of Mr. Macdonald's letter to Admiral Fairfax relative to the action of the French company towards the mission, and of Admiral Fairfax's reply. Mr Hardie had an interview yesterday with the Premier in regard to the matter, and the Premier promised to consider what further steps can be taken by the Government to impress on the Imperial Government the necessity of some action in defence of the rights of the mission. Mr. Hardie also suggested to the Premier the advisability of making arrangements with the Union Steamship Company for their steamer the Taupo, to make regular calls at Havannah Harbour during her trips between Melbourne and Fiji. It is probable that the foreign missions committee will take some steps towards effecting such an arrangement."

"A PASSENGER" writes respecting the recent fog on the harbour, which caused much delay with the Manly steamers. He says, "I am inclined to think that some of the 'navigators' of our harbour steamers, if blown out to sea, would get into a big difficulty, and would be like the lost man in the bush."

A CORRESPONDENT informs us that a large snake was killed on a vacant piece of land at the back of the Redfern Public school on Monday afternoon last. Some of the children saw the reptile crawling about and at once gave information which led to its death. The snake was about 4ft. long, and a carpet one.

A CORRESPONDENT, who writes over the *nom de plume* "Justicia," writes to say that he thinks that the presence of ladies and children at the Synodical meetings is derogatory to the dignity of that august assembly, and gives it a very unbusinesslike and pleasure-affording appearance. The Chapter House is by no means a spacious building, and provides but scanty room even for the members of the Synod now assembled in it. Why, then, should the little space apportioned to visitors be partly reserved for the exclusive use of ladies, who, not content with the seats specially allotted to them, seek to encroach upon the already too limited space provided for gentlemen, to the great chagrin and the exclusion of the gentlemen from their rights and privileges? Would it not be more equitable and just, if ladies are to be admitted, to throw open the whole available space to both sexes? He hopes, as there is yet time, even during the present sitting of the Synod, that remedial measures will be passed, effecting the beneficial change desired in the existing arrangements for the public accommodation.

THE trial of Henry Borsboom for the alleged murder of his wife at the Great Australian Coffee Palace, Castlereagh-street, in June last, was continued at the Central Criminal Court yesterday, before his Honor Mr. Justice Stephen. Mr. E. Barton, assisted by Mr. Harris appeared on behalf of the Crown; Mr. David Buchanan, instructed by Mr. Roberts, sen., appeared for the prisoner. Mr. Barton commenced his address to the jury on behalf of the Crown at 10 o'clock, and continued his remarks till half-past 11 o'clock, at which time his Honor commenced to sum up. His Honor concluded his summing up shortly before 3 o'clock, and the jury after having further examined Mr. Hamlet, Government Analyst, retired to consider their verdict at 3 o'clock. At 9 o'clock last night they were called into court, and the foreman stated that they were not likely to agree upon a verdict. They were then locked up until 9 o'clock this morning. A young man named William Thompson was arraigned upon an indictment charging him with false pretences, but after the evidence was taken, and the jury had retired to consider their verdict, the Crown decided to abandon the case by withdrawing a juror. The jury were then recalled, a juror was withdrawn, and the accused, against whom there was another charge, and who was not on bail, was remanded to his former custody. Jurymen summoned to attend the court on Monday will not be required until half-past 10 o'clock.

IN connection with a recent seizure of illicitly distilled spirit at Newtown, an impression has gained ground that the capture of those who had it in their possession was due to the police, and not to the officers of the Excise Department. As a matter of fact the seizure was effected by Mr. Delway Bell and by Mr.

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Williams, acting inspector on behalf of the Chief Inspector of Distilleries, as a result of careful private inquiries. It is a frankly admitted fact that illegal distillation is being carried on at a somewhat wholesale rate in various parts of the metropolis, and in country districts. The authorities are not by any means ignorant of this circumstance; but an almost insuperable difficulty is experienced in inducing reliable witnesses to come forward and give evidence. The enormous profits which accrue from this particular class of fraud necessarily handicap the Government officers, who have to contend against great monetary influence and bribery. It may be mentioned, however, that since January 1 of the present year, no fewer than nine illicit stills have been seized, irrespective of numerous prosecutions for the sale of illicitly distilled spirit. One significant fact is that no less than six gallons of proof spirit can be produced from 1cwt. of the commonest sugar.

The following cases were treated at the Sydney Hospital yesterday, the patients being admitted into the wards of the institution:—Evan Hopkins, 63 years of age, blacksmith, while working at the railway workshops at Eveleigh, was jammed between the buffers of two carriages, and suffered a dislocation of the left shoulder and contusions of the ribs. Joseph Bates, 68 years of age, a baker, was taken to the institution at 6.30 p.m. by Water Police-constable Beltitude, who stated that he had picked the man out of the water at Circular Quay. Bates had been in the water about three minutes, and was consequently suffering from the effects of immersion. John Cost, 42 years of age, labourer, had his left foot seriously injured through a large piece of timber falling upon it at Dunsey's Wharf. Thomas Cunningham, 35 years of age, labourer, was taken to the hospital by Constable Griffiths, who stated that the patient was knocked down and run over by a cab while crossing Lower George-street. He was found to be suffering from concussion.

The following is the order of service at St. Andrew's Cathedral on Sunday next:—Morning, at 11 a.m., Te Deum, Smart in F; anthem, "O Lord, our Governor" (Gadsby). Afternoon, 3.15 p.m., Magnificat, Stainer in A: anthem, "Hallelujah" (Mount of Olives, Beethoven). Litany (Tallis). Special sermons will be preached in connection with the session of Synod, at the afternoon service (at 3.15 p.m.) by the Archdeacon of Camden, on "Christ's great mission to the Church," and at the evening service (7 p.m.) by the Primate.

The Rev. J. Chalmers, of the London Missionary Society, whose name is so well known in connection with the mission work in New Guinea, will deliver two addresses to-morrow; in the morning at the Newtown and in the evening at the Pitt-street Congregational Churches. We understand that the rev. gentleman takes his departure for New Guinea during the coming week.

In yesterday's *Herald* an account appeared of a tea-meeting which was held in connection with St. David's Church, Surry Hills, to welcome the Rev. J. Hargrave and Mrs. Hargrave on their return to the parish. It was stated that the 800 or 900 persons present were mostly juveniles. Mr. David D. Rutledge takes exception to such an assertion, and asks us to contradict it, because it is liable to detract from the character of the welcome home given to their pastor. The returns in tickets show that the ratio of adults to children who were present was more than three adults to one child

The friends of the late W. E. Sheridan are informed that the unveiling of the monument to his memory will take place at Waverley Cemetery at half-past 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Mr. J. M. Toohey, M.L.A., will address his constituents in the New Masonic Hall next Thursday, 8th instant, at 8 p.m. Mr. J. P. Abbott will preside.

We have been requested to draw attention to a notice in our advertising columns relating to the Women's Concert in aid of the Queen's Fund.

In another column will be found a subscription list and advertisement from the Sydney Chamber of Commerce, inviting the commercial community to assist the expedition for the exploration of New Guinea, under the leadership of Mr. Theodore Bevan, F.R.G.S. In addition to the list referred to, we understand that nearly £300 has been collected. As arrangements have been concluded for the launch provided by the Government to go per s.s. Tsinan, it will be seen that a prompt response to the appeal will be required, in order that the expedition may start properly equipped.

As will be seen by reference to our shipping advertisements, Mr. Walter Reeks has established an exchange for the transaction of business appertaining to buying and selling yachts, boats, &c. The inconvenience of going all over the harbour to look for a boat will thus be avoided, and, instead, all necessary information can be obtained right in the heart of the city.

The annual ball of Sydney Lodge Tarbolton, 377, S.C., will be held at Leigh House on the 22nd proximo, under the auspices of the Grand Lodges of England and Scotland.

Mr. Laurent Edouard Adet has admitted into the Melbourne firm of Curcier, Adet and Co., as from the 1st of July, his Sydney partners, Messrs. Thomas Fitzgerald and William Arthur Seward, and the business will be carried on as merchants and importers at Melbourne and Sydney under the style or firm of Curcier, Adet and Co.

AFFAIRS IN AFGHANISTAN.

[By Cable.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Aug. 31.

It is reported that Ayoub Khan, who recently escaped from Teheran, has been captured near the Russian frontier.

The Ameer Abdurrahman has accepted the settlement lately arranged between Russia and England in regard to the delimitation of the Afghan frontier.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)

THE HEALTH OF THE AMEER.

LONDON, Aug. 30.

The telegram recently received from Merv, stating that the Ameer of Afghanistan had been obliged to have his foot amputated owing to gangrene, has been confirmed.

FACTIONS IN CABUL.

LONDON, Aug. 30.

Further advices from Afghanistan state that there are two factions in Cabul, one favouring Ayoub Khan's claim to succeed Abdurrahman, and the other favouring Ishan Khan. Both princes have been urged to proceed at once to Cabul.

RABBIT EXTERMINATION.

OFFER MADE TO SIR SAUL SAMUEL.

[By Cable.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Aug. 31.

Sir Herewald Wake has made an offer to Sir Saul Samuel for the extermination of rabbits from Australia, the question of payment depending upon the results.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Aug. 31.

Sir Saul Samuel has received a proposal for the extermination of rabbits in New South Wales, and will submit the same for the consideration of his Government.

THE CANADIAN FISHERIES DISPUTE.

APPOINTMENT OF AN ANGLO-AMERICAN COMMISSION.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)

LONDON, Aug. 30.

In the House of Commons last night Sir James Ferguson, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated, in reply to a question, that the United States Government had agreed to the appointment of a new commission in connection with the Canadian fisheries dispute, and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain will be the Chief Commissioner.

Aug 31.

It is announced that the Anglo-American Commission on the Canadian fisheries dispute will consist of six members, two of whom will be Canadians. Mr. Chamberlain, the principal British Commissioner, will proceed to Canada forthwith.

SECOND EDITION.

HERALD OFFICE, 4.15 a.m.

LATE CABLE NEWS.

(From our own Correspondent.)

THE REBELLION IN AFGHANISTAN.

LONDON, Aug. 31.

Intelligence has been received from Afghanistan stating that Kabbabish has defeated the rebel Dervishes, killing 1300 of their number.

September 1.

The report that Ayoub Khan, who recently escaped from Teheran, had been captured near the Russian frontier, proves to be without foundation. According to latest advices Ayoub is concealed in Persian territory.

SEIZURE OF A BRITISH VESSEL.

LONDON, Sept. 1.

The United States authorities have seized another British vessel in Behring's Straits for a breach of the fisheries laws.

THE ALLOTMENTS ACT.

LONDON, Sept. 1.

The Government has refused to extend the operation of the Allotments Act to Ireland.

RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

LONDON, Sept. 1.

It is expected that a meeting will take place between the Czar of Russia and the Emperor William at Stettin, in Pomerania, on the 12th instant.

THE TONGAN AFFAIR.

LONDON, Sept. 1.

Sir Henry Holland strongly disapproves of the conduct of the Rev. Shirley Baker, the Premier of Tonga, in connexion with the recent disturbances there, and has warned him that he will be removed from Tonga if his influence leads to the ill-treatment of the Tongans.

THE BULGARIAN MINISTRY.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

SOFIA, Aug. 30.

It has been decided that the present Bulgarian Cabinet shall continue in office until after the elections for the Sobranje, which will take place next month.

THE NEW HEBRIDES.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Aug. 31.

Sir Henry Holland, in replying to Sir Graham Berry's protest against trespasses made by the New Hebrides Company on the property of the Presbyterian Mission, stated that the matter was occupying the attention of Lord Salisbury, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

ITALY AND ABYSSINIA.

BRITISH MEDIATION FRUITLESS.

[By Cable.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Aug. 31.

The mediation of England in connection with the difficulty between Italy and Abyssinia has not resulted in any satisfactory arrangement being arrived at. It is probable that an Italian expedition will be despatched to Massowah in the autumn.

THE POSTAL QUESTION.

PROPOSAL BY THE BRITISH POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

[By Cable.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Aug. 31.

Mr. Cecil Raikes, the Postmaster-General, desires that the colonies should conclude a contract with the Orient Company for the conveyance of mails, England contracting with the P. and O. Company, each to keep its respective postages. The Agents-General are considering the proposal.

EXECUTION OF PRANZINI.

[By Cable.]
(From our own Correspondents.)

LONDON, Aug. 31.

Pranzini, the triple murderer in Rue Montaigne, Paris, has been executed.

STRANDING OF THE BARQUE GULDAX.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

ADELAIDE, Friday.

A telegram has been received from Normanville stating that the Norwegian barque Guldax has been stranded. Half the crew have landed. The captain and five men are at present believed to be on board. The vessel is bumping heavily. The masts have gone overboard, and the vessel is heeling over.

SUPPOSED SUICIDE OF A YOUNG LADY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

A strange case of supposed suicide is occupying the attention of the public. Late on Wednesday night, C. D. Moore, captain of the ship Sarah Grice, informed the police that a young lady named Laura Swain, to whom he was engaged to be married had thrown herself over the railing of Victoria-bridge into the Yarra, a distance of 50 feet. From the statement made by Captain Moore, it appears that the two left Clifton Hill for a walk, during which the captain informed the young lady that he had received orders to sail on Thursday. This seemed to depress Miss Swain very much. While crossing the bridge the captain stopped to light a cigar, and he suddenly heard a splash. He rushed to the other side of the bridge and saw the lady floating down the river. In running down a steep embankment he lost his footing and rolled to the bottom, and was scarcely able to move. He then called upon two men who were passing to rescue the lady, whose screams could be plainly heard, but the stream carried her down the river and she sank. Every effort has been made by the police to recover the body by dragging the river, but so far without success. A sensational report was published that blood and some pieces of dress material had been found about 80 yards from the bridge, but the former proved to be sheep's blood not human blood, and the latter had been lying on the spot for over a week. No traces of any struggle have been discovered. Mrs. Simmonds, the sister of the deceased, states that the latter has been very disappointed for some time past, on account of Captain Moore not having married her, and she was probably much affected by suddenly hearing of his immediate departure. Miss Swain was 25 years of age. Renewed exertions will be made to recover the body, but the current of the river is very strong, which may carry it a considerable distance.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[By Electric Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

THE BRANDY RING IN GERMANY.

LONDON, Aug. 31.

The ring which was formed in Germany, with an immense capital, for the purpose of securing a monopoly in the brandy trade, is likely to fail.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 31.

The election for the Ramsey division of Huntingdonshire, caused by the elevation of Mr. W. H. Fellowes to the peerage, took place yesterday. It resulted in the return of Mr. Dilwyn Fellowes, Conservative, the voting being Mr. Fellowes, 2700, and Mr. Sanders, Gladstonian, 2400, showing a diminution in the Conservative majority.

THE MAILS.

BATAVIA, Sept. 1.

The B. I. S. N. Company's s.s. Jumna arrived here from London yesterday.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondents.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The tender of James Moore for the erection of the annexes of the Exhibition building has been accepted, the amount being about £60,000. Eleven tenders were sent in. The annexes are to be built of wood, iron, and glass, and will cover an area of about 15 acres.

The formal agreement providing for the transfer of the business of the Victorian Telephone Exchange Company was signed to-day. The last dividend paid by the company was equal to 17½ per cent. on the capital.

The inquest on the body of the man Irons, who was violently assaulted last week at Buxton, and who died from his injuries on Monday, resulted in the acquittal of four persons charged with having caused his death.

Two fatal railway accidents are reported. In the first case a woman named Homfray, living at Ascot Vale, got on the line near the station at that place last night, and was knocked down by the engine of a passing train and killed instantaneously. The second case was that of George Adams, a foreman line-repairer under the Telegraph branch who was literally cut to pieces by a train coming into the North Melbourne station this morning. The deceased, while superintending some work near the signal-box, in trying to avoid one train got confused when he saw another approaching in an opposite direction, and failed to get off the track in time to prevent the fatal result.

The argument in the appeal of Mr. Dakin against the order of the Chief Justice, directing him to cease the noise of hammering in his workshop, was continued this morning before the Full Court. Judgment was reserved.

Bridget Mepham was brought up at the Beechworth Assizes to-day, charged with the wilful murder of her sister, Ann Callow, at Wangarratta, on July 6. The case lasted all day and was adjourned till to-morrow.

Measles are very prevalent in Fitzroy and Carlton. The Public schools have been closed in consequence of the number of children suffering from the complaint.

A shipment of pepper-dust recently imported has been detained by the Customs authorities, owing to the shippers refusing to pay duty on it as pepper. An analysis of the sample proved it to be utterly worthless. The Central Board of Health will take steps to prevent its being offered for sale.

At Echuca the Murray and Campaspe are still falling. The weather is showery.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Five more French escapees have arrived in Brisbane from Thursday Island, and will be brought up at the Police Court to-morrow for identification by a New Caledonian warder.

A telegram from Thursday Island to-day states that of the two escapees that the Government steamer Albatross was sent to capture, one has been speared by the blacks, and the other was taken on to the Clermont lightship by beche-de-mer fishermen, and brought on by the Rockton to be forwarded to Brisbane.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s supplementary steamer Duke of Devonshire arrived off Thursday Island yesterday. She has been ordered into quarantine at Townsville, there being several cases of acute measles on board.

A deputation comprising Mr. E. Palmer, member for Burke, with Mr. J. Waddell and Mr. J. H. Hassall, members of the New South Wales Assembly, waited on the Premier to-day relative to the dredging of the port at Normanton, and the railway to Croydon. Sir Samuel Griffith replied that he was waiting for a report from Sir John Coode relative to the port at Normanton. The question of the railway was under the consideration of the Government.

The report, with minutes of evidence taken before the board of inquiry to inquire into the general management of the gaols and penal establishments and lockups of the colony, has been issued. The Commission recommend a number of improvements and increased accommodation in the penal establishments.

The steamer Roma, which arrived from Normanton to-day, brings 15,000oz. of gold from Croydon for Sydney.

It is understood that Mr. Henry Jordan, the new Minister for Lands, will be re-elected unopposed for South Brisbane.

The weather is fine and unusually warm.

NORTHERN TERRITORY.

PORT DARWIN, Friday.

The local board of health have ordered the demolition of a number of bark huts crowded by the Chinese as being unfit for habitation and dangerous to public health. The smallpox patients are all doing well.

Mr. Parsons has received by the Menmuir a complete set of silver ore specimens from Broken Hill and the other Barrier mines. They will be added to the mineralogical museum here and at Burrundie, where a duplicate set will be sent. Mr. Harwood, an assayer and a qualified expert, says he has already seen local ores similar to the majority of the Broken Hill specimens.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, Friday.

A long discussion took place in the Legislative Assembly to-night on the proposed tax of £25 on commercial travellers doing business for firms outside the colony. The item was postponed by the casting vote of the chairman. The committee discussed the proposal to tax £15 annually on persons carrying on trade in premises valued at £250 per annum and above. It was explained that all persons not satisfied could declare their income, or be taxed 3d. in the £ on that. This caused many previously opposed to the item to vote for the proposal, which was carried by 20 to 5. It is now certain that the graduated tax on business premises will be carried.

Later.

Shortly before midnight all the trade license proposals were carried, together with the optional income tax and the commercial travellers' tax.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Friday.

The Seamen's Union here announced the formation of a Jubilee Steamship Company in opposition to the Northern Company, and state that they have charter d three boats. A levy of 2s. 6d. per man has been made throughout Australasia to provide the necessary funds to carry on the struggle.

A petition to the Imperial Parliament for the appointment of a Royal Commission to inquire into the heavy taxation, cost of government, industrial depression, and other grievances is being signed here.

Sir Robert Stout is conducting a house to house canvass in the election for Dunedin East. The contest will be very keen.

The insurance companies here have resolved to rebuild where possible instead of paying the amount of insurance.

Fry's Pure Concentrated Cocoa.—"15, George-street, St. Helens, July 30th, 1885. Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons. Dear Sirs,—I have tried your sample of 'Pure Concentrated Cocoa,' and I find it the best I have ever seen or tasted.—Yours truly, J. E. Hifferman, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., &c." —[Advt.]

COUNTRY NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondents.)

ARMIDALE, Friday.

The remains of the late Mr. S. Bell, of Messrs. Wood Brothers, a well-known traveller, were sent to Sydney this morning by the mail train. A large number followed the funeral from Tattersall's Hotel to the railway station. The deceased was well known and highly respected all over the district.

After the heavy rains the weather is now fine and the country looks well. A very early spring is expected.

BALRANALD, Friday.

Yesterday afternoon a sharp thunder storm passed over here, accompanied by heavy showers of rain, which continued at intervals until midnight, registering 39 points, making for the week 227 points. To-day the sky is cloudless with a high wind.

The river is stationary.

The first consignment of the season's clip arrived from Paika to-day.

Dr. Lawson's was the only nomination for the vacant seat in the Municipal Council.

COOTAMUNDRA, Friday.

A heavy rain and wind storm occurred last night, giving 14 points.

The show banquet was attended by over 50 persons. Upwards of £100 was promised in special prizes for next year's show.

COWRA, Friday.

The recent heavy rains raised the river yesterday to about half-bank high. It is falling slowly to-day. The rainfall registered here last month was 353 points. The weather is now fine.

CROOKWELL, Friday.

At about 11 yesterday a heavy storm visited the town and district. Rain and hail fell at intervals, and the wind blew a gale. The lightning was most vivid. The iron of the roofs of several places was shifted, and a few large trees were uprooted. The new fence around the public park was blown over in places. To-day the weather was fine.

There are hundreds of tons of potatoes pitted in this district, owing to the distance from market and the low rates, and they will probably rot. If there were railway communication between Goulburn and Crookwell, an area containing many times the acreage now under crop would be cultivated, as the land is of a most fertile nature, a great deal of it being chocolate-coloured soil to a great depth.

Considerable attention has been given to orchard planting this season. The climate being favourable for fruit culture, advantage has been taken of it.

GOULBURN, Friday.

At a meeting of the Mechanics' Institute Committee, held last night, Mr. Alfred Ellis, editor of the Goulburn *Herald*, was elected president, in the room of the late Mr. J. T. Gannon. The proposal of the Minister for Justice to pull down the technical school, erected by the institute authorities at the rear of the hall, was referred to, and generally condemned. Mr. W. R. Riley, one of the trustees, said that if the suggestion of Mr. Clarke were carried out he would be one to join with the other trustees and committee in resigning as a body, and throwing upon the Government the responsibility of carrying on or closing the institute.

A heavy thunderstorm passed over the city last night. The lightning was very vivid.

A meeting will be held on Monday afternoon to consider the advisability of establishing a butter factory in Goulburn.

GULGONG, Friday.

The weather cleared yesterday. There was lightning to the westward last evening, and a strong gale from the south-west blew last night. It is fine and warm to-day. The roads are drying up.

Shearing is to commence at Biraganbil this week.

GUNDAGAI, Friday.

The Rev. Father Hennesy, late of Gundagai, who was recently appointed parish priest at Germanton, has been on a visit here. Prior to his departure this afternoon he was presented by Mr. John Mackina, on behalf of the people here, with an address and purse of 80 sovereigns, for which Father Hennesy expressed gratitude. A number of townspeople accompanied him to the railway station.

The weather during the last eight days has been showery. Last night, at about 9 o'clock, a severe storm passed over the town and district. Sixty-five points of rain fell yesterday, making a total of 110 for the week. The weather to-day was fine. The Murrumbidgee River at Gundagai is 14ft. above summer level.

GUNNEDAH, Friday.

The weather is now fine and mild. The Naomi river is in flood, and the Mooki water is running over the Carroll-road up to the floor of the bridge. Herbage is showing well now.

Shearing operations are greatly retarded, owing to the rain.

Mr. Haynes, M.L.A. for Mudgee, lectured last night on free trade and decentralisation.

INVERELL, Friday.

Anthony Gorman, late licensee of the Telegraph Hotel, Inverell, now of Sydney, was summoned before the Licensing Bench for having abandoned his licensed house. Defendant failed to appear, consequently the license was cancelled. This hotel, previous to the last few months, was known to be one of the most profitable hostelries in New England. A general falling-off of business and the opening of new hotels brought about the present result.

The weather to-day has been excessively warm. The total rainfall at Inverell for the month of August was 398 points during 10 days. During the last three days of the month 103 points fell, and on Thursday, 1st instant, 62 points. For the eight months ending August 31 the record is 29in. 7 points.

MOAMA, Friday.

The Customs revenue for August amounted to £2433 14s. 11d.

The rainfall for August was 1in. 19 points. The weather is windy and cold. The river is falling.

MUDGEE, Friday.

At a public meeting last night, the Mayor presiding, it was decided to invite Sir Henry Parkes to a banquet at Mudgee after his visit to Wellington.

The weather is now fine. During the late rain the Talbragar overflowed its banks, covering the Birriwa paddocks, and Mr. E. J. Lowe and a number of men had to convey 500 sheep on horseback to save them from drowning.

It was decided last night to establish a branch of the Buffalo Order in Mudgee.

Numbers of miners are arriving to visit the Limestone diggings here, which are yielding payable gold. The first consignment of coal from the Mudgee Rawdon mine arrived yesterday.

TEMORA, Friday.

Over 500 entries have been received for the Agricultural Show, and sheep, cattle, blood stock, steeplechasers, and ladies' hacks are largely represented.

Heavy gales, with thunder, lightning, and rain, occurred last night, but it is fine to-day.

The coursing meeting, to be held on the 14th instant, promises to be a success.

THARGOMINDAH (Q.), Friday.

The recent rain has been general from here into Bourke. Three inches 16 points were registered at Hungerford, and three inches at Boorara. The Paroo is rising. The Cunnamulla mail due on Thursday night will not arrive till to-morrow evening, having been delayed through the heavy state of the roads.

TUMUT, Friday.

A great gale occurred last night, accompanied by heavy rain. Forty-five points fell. It is fine to-day.

URANA, Friday.

Shearing operations are in full swing throughout the district. The clip is expected to be the largest for many years past.

Over 22 inches of rain have been registered for the present year. The country is everywhere looking magnificent.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

Mr. N. B. Downing lectures in the School of Arts on Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of the Good Templars, on the Gospel Temperance Mission.

A successful children's entertainment was held in the School of Arts this afternoon in aid of St. Paul's parish funds.

The body of a man was found on Wednesday morning on the bank of Wollombi Brook, partly in and partly out of the water, about six miles from Wollombi, on the Millfield-road. The flesh of the face, neck, breast and right-arm had been eaten away evidently by dogs. The bones of the right arms lay about a yard from the body. In the trousers-pocket was written a character from John Wiseman, of Laguna, to James Kearney. The body has been identified as that of Kearney, who was in Mr. Wiseman's employ about February last.

The usual monthly meeting of the Scientific Society was held in the School of Arts last evening. Mr. J. Waterhouse, who presided, gave an interesting address on the study of fossils. Mr. J. W. Pender read a paper on the uses of the microscope.

WILCANNIA, Friday.

The Shearers' Union is becoming an extensive organisation. The secretary is now canvassing the district, and large numbers of shearers are joining.

The steamer Florence Annie passed Louth, up stream. The Emily Jane left Tilpa, down stream, this morning. The Blanche arrived at Menindie, down stream.

Shearing is nearly over at many stations, and great numbers of sheep will soon be on the way to market.

Inverell reports 125 points of rain during the last two days. The river rose a banker, but fell rapidly.

YOUNG, Friday.

A sudden change took place in the weather last night. Shortly after 9 o'clock there was a heavy thunderstorm, and rain fell in torrents, with a wind storm. During the night 66 points fell.

The Premier is expected to arrive here at 3 o'clock to-morrow. An address will be presented to him by the school children.

SERIOUS COLLISION BETWEEN TWO SHIPS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent).

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

The ship Victoria Regina, from Melbourne to Newcastle for coal for San Francisco, reached port shortly after noon to-day. Captain Cawsey reports his ship left Port Phillip Heads, in tow of the steamtug Vulcan, at 7 a.m. on Monday, August 22, and passed through the Heads all well. Made all sail with a light N. breeze and winds favourable all day. All went well until the 23rd. The ship Persian Empire had been towed out about half an hour afterwards, and both vessels kept company until the 23rd instant. At 4 p.m. on the 23rd the chief officer of the Victoria Regina, Mr. Brunt, left the deck, having been relieved by the second officer, Mr. Leigh, Captain Cawsey being then on the poop. The ship was heading E.N.E., with a light N. wind from the northward, and was going at the rate of three knots per hour. The ship Persian Empire was still in company about four points upon the lee bow, between four and five miles distant. As the chief officer left the poop he noticed that the Persian Empire tacked ship. After going below and writing up the log book he went on deck, and noticing the position of the two ships he asked the captain's son if his father was on the poop. He said, "No," and that he was in the cabin. The coast pilot, Mr. Kelly, and Mr. Leigh, the second officer, were in charge on deck. The chief officer instantly went into the cabin, and told Captain Cawsey that he did not think the Persian Empire would cross our bows. The captain ran on deck, and finding it too late to keep the ship away, he ordered the helm to be put hard down. At the same time the pilot gave the order, "All hands about ship." The ship came round in the stays, and when swinging the after yards the Persian Empire struck the Victoria Regina on the starboard bow, close to the stem, with the lower fluke of the port anchor, the bowsprit of the Victoria Regina carrying away the foresail of the Persian Empire, and her forerigging carrying away our whisker boom. Our topgallant and royal stays were carried away by her lee foreyard arm, and as the Victoria Regina came astern the lower fluke of her starboard anchor caught the Persian Empire from the topgallant rail to two plates below her waterways between her fore and main rigging. An order was given then on board the Persian Empire to put the helm down and ease her lee forebraces, after which both ships separated. It would be about 4.45 p.m. when the two ships collided. The position of the ships was the centre of Hogan's Island, N.E. by N. half N., and east end of Kent's Group E. by south half S. by the standard compass. After the collision the captain of the Victoria Regina gave orders to keep the ship close to the wind, to see if the Persian Empire required any assistance; but finding that the vessel had squared her yards and pursued her course to Wilson's Promontory without saying a word, the Victoria Regina set her mainsail and pursued her voyage. In reference to the statement of the collision made in one of the Melbourne papers, Captain Cawsey, of the Victoria Regina, states that several discrepancies occur. For instance, the report says that Captain Ward, of the Persian Empire, seeing that a collision was inevitable, ordered the helm to be put hard down; but the chief officer of the Victoria Regina positively states that the order was not given until after the collision, and that had the order been given before the collision the ships would never have come together, because the Victoria Regina was in the stays, and swinging her after yards at the time of the collision. Again, the report says "that it is complained that the Victoria Regina did not wait to see to what extent the Persian Empire was injured, and made no offer of assistance; that she filled her sails, and went on her way." On the contrary, the chief officer of the Victoria Regina maintains that the ship was kept shaking in the wind to see if any assistance was required; but finding that the Persian Empire had squared her yards for Wilson's Promontory, he concluded that no assistance was required, and proceeded on the voyage. The chief mate of the Victoria Regina says that when the collision occurred the first thing the Persian Empire did was to start clearing her port-quarter boats, and he hailed the captain of the Persian Empire by name, Captain Ward, and told him that the Persian Empire was all right, and did not want the boats out; that the hole in her side was a long way above water-line.

MEMORIAL TO THE VICTIMS OF THE BULLI EXPLOSION.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

BULLI, Friday.

Together with a few prominent local residents, Mr. Turner, the police magistrate of Wollongong, inspected last week a site in Bulli Park suggested for a proposed public monument to the memory of the victims of the Bulli explosion. Mr. Turner having subsequently intimated through the press his willingness to receive suggestions of other more suitable positions, the progress committee, comprising all the religious denominations, after considerable discussion, decided last night, with only two dissentients, to recommend the Church of England Cemetery, which, besides being central, and occupying a conspicuous position, overlooking the township, contains the graves of 62 of the victims. Public objection to the park is urged on the ground that the same being devoted to recreation purposes, it was highly undesirable and inconsistent to erect so saddening an object thereon.

FLOODS IN THE COUNTRY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondents.)

COONAMBLE, Friday.

The greatest flood which has been known for many years occurred here last night. The water ran like a sluice over the lower ends of Castlereagh and Namoi streets. Tooloon-street was also partially flooded, and there was about a foot of water in the Exchange Hotel. A boat was rowed up Namoi-street past the *Times* office, and afterwards moored in Castlereagh-street, opposite the Council-chambers. Several families had to remove. The flood is now going down. The damage done is not great. The weather is now fine. No mails have arrived from the metropolis since Monday last.

DUBBO, Friday.

The river reached the maximum height this morning of 39ft. above summer level. All the rear of the town is flooded, and the water is over the fences of all the back yards. The west side of Macquarie-street is under water. The water is now receding slowly; the Talbragar River, which is also in flood, preventing the water from getting away quickly. The rainfall for August is nearly 5in., falling on 10 different days through the month. The weather is now cool, bright, and calm. The rain worked off with a south-west gale last night, which was very high at times, with slight thunderstorms about 10 o'clock at night.

ALLEGED DOUBLE MURDER NEAR NUNDLE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

NUNDLE, Friday.

Kate Blake was arrested on Monday by Senior-Sergeant Langworthy, and charged with the wilful murder of her father and sister, William and Elizabeth Blake. To-day she was brought before Mr. William Stanning, J.P., and remanded for eight days.

THE INVERELL TRAGEDY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

ARMIDALE, Friday.

Wadham Wyndham is now in Armidale gaol and is quite peaceable. He comports himself as if nothing had been wrong, and does not seem to regret his action.

Fry's Malted Cocoa.—"An ordinary cup of Fry's Malted Cocoa contains more of the active properties of malt than a pint of the best ale or porter."—Lancet. Of all grocers and chemists.—Advt.]

SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards: September 2, Colac (s.), 958 tons, Captain W. Donaldson, for Adelaide via Newcastle; Adelaide (s.), 917 tons, Captain T. W. Lockyer, for Adelaide via Melbourne; Achilles, ship, 1521 tons, Captain Robinson, for London; City of Melbourne (s.), 580 tons, Captain W. C. Thomson, for Cooktown; Victoria (s.), 934 tons, Captain J. E. Munro, for Normanton; Quiraing (s.), 653 tons, Captain J. Armstrong, for Melbourne; Ruakaka, schooner, 43 tons, Captain J. Steele, for Auckland; Rodondo (s.), 715 tons, Captain C. J. Nightingall, for Melbourne; Barrabool (s.), 589 tons, Captain L. Tindal, for Brisbane; Gambier (s.), 1050 tons, Captain R. R. Brown, for Melbourne via Newcastle; Glenfyne, 913 tons, Captain D. Douglas, for Iquique; Hally Bayley, schooner, 113 tons, Captain W. F. M. Wolsch, for Port Mackay.

The following passengers are booked by the M.M. Company's Salazie, Captain Fiaschi, to leave to-day for Marseilles, via ports:—For Marseilles: Dr. and Mrs. Castagnet, Mrs. M. A. Stable and child, Sister Marie Bernard, Rev. Dr. Navarre, Rev. Father Hartzer. For Mauritius: Mr. J. M. Jaffrey and servant. For Adelaide: Cardinal Moran and Rev. Dr. F. O Haran, also through passengers from Noumea.

The North-German Lloyd steamer Lubeck, from Apia and Tonga, had not arrived up till after 2 o'clock this morning. She was not reported along the coast yesterday.

The White Star clipper Thermopylæ is to be towed from her berth at Dalgety's Wharf to an anchorage in Snail's Bay, this morning.

To-day the ship Shannon is to be towed from Cowper Wharf to an anchorage in the stream.

The ship Samuel Plimsoll was towed to a discharging berth at Parbury's Wharf yesterday.

The ship Juletrae, which left this port on May 10 with a freight of wool, &c., arrived at London on the 31st ultimo.

The steamer Barrabool cleared Port Phillip Heads at 7 p.m. on August 31st, entered the Heads at 6.40 p.m. on the 2nd instant, and arrived alongside the company's wharf at 7.30 p.m. Experienced moderate northerly winds and cloudy weather, with rain to Montague Island, and fine weather thence to arrival.

The steamship Wakatipu left Wellington for Sydney at 4 p.m. on September 1st.

The steamship Tekapo is to leave the Bluff on Tuesday next for Sydney, via Melbourne.

The R. M. S. Orizaba, of the Orient line, passed Gabo Island at 1.20 p.m. yesterday. She is expected to arrive about 8 a.m. to-day, and will bring up at the company's moorings in Neutral Bay. Tenders will be alongside the vessel on arrival to convey passengers and light luggage ashore.

The steamer Dupleix, from Noumea, with mails, passengers, and cargo, entered the Heads at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, and anchored in Watson's Bay for medical inspection. She was visited by Dr. Sibly soon after daylight and, as the health report was satisfactory, she was liberated, and came up to the company's moorings in Neutral Bay. The Dupleix has made a smart passage across of three days 13 hours. Captain Chabond reports that she left Noumea at noon on the 29th ultimo, and met with fine weather and S.E. breezes throughout. She is to be berthed at the Circular Quay to-day after the departure of the Salazie. Dr. De Bailly is surgeon of the Dupleix, in place of Dr. d Englesqueville, who is now practising in Sydney.

The French cruiser Decres, the Rives, Guichen, Loyalty, Duchaffaut, and the troopship Caledonien were at Noumea when the Dupleix sailed on the 27th ultimo.

The steamer Colac left Adelaide at 6.45 a.m. on the 28th August, cleared the Semaphore at 7.55 a.m., and anchored in Kingston at 6.30 a.m. on the 29th; sailed again at noon, passed Cape Otway at 7.47 p.m. on the 30th., and entered Sydney Heads at 10.45 a.m. on the 2nd September, mooring at Huddart, Parker, and Co.'s wharf. The Colac experienced moderate to fresh S.E. and E. winds to Wilson's Promontory, and fresh N.E. to W. winds to Jervis Bay thence to arrival strong W. wind and fine weather.

The Anglo-Australasian liner Port Pirie, inward bound from London via ports, passed Green Cape at 4.10 p.m. yesterday. She is due in port to-day.

The E and A. Company's steamer Tarnadice, hence to Melbourne, passed Gabo Island at 3.50 p.m. yesterday.

The schooner M. A. Doran, from Clarence River bound to Melbourne, passed Gabo Island at 11.40 a.m. yesterday.

The ketch Emanuel arrived in port yesterday from a fishing cruise with a catch of six tons of schnapper. The ketch brought up in Johnson's Bay.

The tug Muriel Bell left the Bellinger River yesterday on her monthly visit to the Solitary Islands.

A barque, flying signal letters PNFL, passed Jervis Bay at 5 p.m. yesterday, bound north.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Ballaarat, hence to London via ports, arrived at Melbourne yesterday morning.

The N. G. Lloyd's steamer Nurnberg arrived at Melbourne, from Bremen, yesterday morning.

The steamer Rodondo left Brisbane at noon on the 31st ultimo, and arrived in Sydney at 5.15 a.m. on the 2nd instant. Experienced light northerly winds and fine weather throughout.

The steamer Queen of the South crossed the Richmond River bar at 5 p.m. on the 31st ultimo, and entered the Heads at 4 a.m. on the 2nd instant. Experienced light northerly winds and fine weather to port. Cargo: 25 beech logs, 28 cases eggs, 4 coops poultry, 5 hides, 50 kegs butter, 31 bags maize, 100 bags sugar, 2 pigs, and sundries.

The steamer Gambier, from Adelaide, via Melbourne, left the latter port at 7.20 p.m. on the 30th ultimo, and entered the Heads at 2 a.m. on the 2nd instant. Experienced fresh easterly winds to Wilson's Promontory, thence strong north winds and head sea to port.

The steamer City of Melbourne left Melbourne on the 31st ultimo at 0.30 p.m., cleared Port Phillip Heads at 5 p.m., and entered Sydney Heads at 10 p.m. on the second. Experienced moderate westerly winds and rainy weather to Gabo Island, and brisk westerly winds and fine weather thence to port.

The barque Freetrader, from Launceston, with a freight of produce, entered the Heads at 8 o'clock yesterday morning in tow of the Leveret, and anchored in Pyrmont Bight until the afternoon, when she was taken alongside the Market Wharf to discharge. Captain H. Bowden is in command, and reports that the Freetrader cleared the Tamar on the 26th ultimo with a light N.E. wind, which lasted until Wilson's Promontory was passed on the following day. Moderate N.W., W., and S.W. winds followed till Gabo Island was abeam on the 29th, when a fresh S.E. wind set in, accompanied with thick weather and heavy rain, which lasted till midnight of the 30th. A light breeze from S. was had from that time until about noon on the 31st; the wind afterwards became baffling, and continued so till 3 o'clock yesterday morning, the vessel being at that time 20 miles south-east of the Heads. A S.W. breeze then sprang up, and lasted to port. After the discharge of her cargo the Freetrader is to proceed to Wollongong, where she will load a cargo of coal for Launceston.

The R.M.S. Orient left Melbourne yesterday, in continuation of her voyage hence to London, via ports.

The M. M. Company's steamship Yarra, from Marseilles, via ports, reached Melbourne yesterday.

It is expected that the North Illawarra Coal-mining Company's steamer Governor Blackall will be ready to begin her work in the coal trade by Thursday next. Yesterday she was on the A. S. N. Company's slip being cleaned and painted and having the bottom coated with anti-fouling composition. The alterations made in the Governor Blackall are extensive and complete, and should make her well adapted for her new career.

The steam launch Mabel, which the Government have lent to Mr. Bevan for the purpose of exploring New Guinea, is now being overhauled and fitted with spare gear at Mort's Dock and Engineering Company's Works. The Mabel has a pair of nice little compound engines and a very large boiler, which is being altered so as to make it suitable for wood fuel. The Mabel is to be shipped on board the China Navigation Company's steamer Tsinan, which leaves on Saturday next, for conveyance to Thursday Island, whence she will be towed over to New Guinea.

The Jubilee Floating Dock is almost ready to be brought into use. Mr. Anderson has been busily engaged fitting up the elaborate pumping-machinery, which he manufactured himself at his works in Balmain; and every hope is entertained that it will, like the dock itself, prove all that is expected of it. The barque Coulnakyle and the German barque Dr. Mezger are the first vessels to be taken into the dock for repair.

It is understood that the A. S. N. Company's Works, which for more than 30 years have been intimately associated with the progress of the port, and which were sold a few days ago, are to be closed, and the land utilised for another purpose. All the officers and workmen have received notice that their services will not be required after a certain date; and it is said that only the contracts the company have at present in hand will be carried out, viz., the Governor Blackall and the Illawarra.

The steamer Warrego, of the A. U. S. N. Company's line, was in Mort's Dock yesterday, receiving her half-yearly overhaul.

The steamer Leura, of Messrs. W. Howard Smith and Sons' line, which has been receiving new boilers at Mort's Dock and Engineering Co.'s works, will be ready to resume her work in the intercolonial trade in about a fortnight. Everything is finished in the machinery department, and all that remains to be done is to clean and paint the ship inside and out, and generally make good defects.

For a time some uneasiness was felt in regard to the non-arrival of the C. and R. R. S. N. Company's new steamer Electra, now on her way to this port from Greenock; but recently news was received that she had turned up safely at Singapore. She was, however, detained at that port for an unexpectedly long period, owing to her commander, Captain Watson (who brought out the Namoi) having left her there. The chief officer was given charge of the Electra, and she proceeded for Sydney again on August 25.

The barque Keir will probably be taken in tow for Newcastle to-night.

The American whaling barque John and Winthrop, which has been in port since July 15, will probably resume her cruise to-day.

The schooner Ruakaka cleared at the Customs yesterday for Auckland, in ballast, and will probably begin her voyage to-day.

The barque C. Paulsen, from London, with a full general cargo, arrived at Newcastle yesterday.

An application for a prohibition was made in Chambers yesterday, before the Chief Justice, to restrain further legal proceedings against George Frederick, late master of the steamer Lilian, for refusing to deliver up his certificate to the Marine Board. The application was granted.

THE KETCH INDEX.

The Lord Howe Island trader Index arrived yesterday afternoon after a good run from that place. Captain King reports of the round voyage that the ketch left Sydney on the evening of July 20, and made a very quick run down of two and a-half days. During her stay at the island the crew were engaged in testing the adjacent fishing grounds, with a view to future operations on an extended scale, and obtained a quantity of the blue fish for which the island is famous, besides rock cod, trevally, &c. On the return trip she left the anchorage at 7 p.m. on Monday last, 29th ultimo, and experienced a N.W. gale with tremendous sea for the first 24 hours, then light N. to N.W. winds until yesterday morning, when a severe squall struck the vessel, and the barometer went down very low, but no damage was done, and fine weather and light winds followed to port. A heavy gale, commencing at S.W. and veering all round the compass, was experienced at Lord Howe Island towards the end of July, and some wreckage of a small vessel drifted ashore. The steamer Taupo, for Fiji, called off the reef on the 25th ultimo, landed five passengers, and proceeded to Norfolk Island. When about 15 miles from Newcastle the Taupo picked up a clinker-built dingy and a pair of sculls, branded "H. B." H.M.S. Nelson stopped to the eastward of Lord Howe Island on July 23, and fired a gun as if wishful to communicate; but as no boat was available on that side of the island, she proceeded on her cruise after a short stay. The Index leaves again for Lord Howe Island in a few days.

WRECK OF THE NORWEGIAN BARQUE GULDAX.

A telegram was posted at the General Post Office last night, as follows:—"Adelaide, September 2, 5.30 p.m. Reports a barque drifted ashore at Normanville, dragging both anchors; first mate and six men landed safely. Captain and five swinging astern (in a boat?) afraid to land, sea so rough. The masts have gone overboard, and the vessel is heeling over. Her name is the Guldax, and she is a Norwegian barque. One of the men in the captain's boat is a passenger." In the *Shipping Gazette* of July 29, the Guldax is given in the list of vessels sailed for Melbourne. She was commanded by Captain Andersen, and left Gothenburg for Port Phillip on May 17, doubtless with a freight of boards.

To Parents.—This preparation is invaluable in the nursery as a general laxative; it is pleasant to the taste, and much superior to senna or other nauseous drugs. It corrects the ill effects of over-eating or exhaustion, and is extremely beneficial in any feverishness or heat of the skin. The bowels ought to be kept free by the "Fruit Salt" for a month or six weeks after eruptive diseases, as Measles, Scarlet Fever, Chickenpox, Smallpox, and all Fevers or Infectious Diseases, &c., for its use frees the system of the "dregs." Many disastrous results would be avoided by attending to this. In the nursery it is beyond praise.

Caution.—Legal rights are protected in every civilised country. Examine each bottle and see the capsule is marked "Eno's Fruit Salt." Without it you have been imposed on by worthless imitations. Sold by all Chemists.

Squatters, Farmers, and others should know that Cadbury's Cocoa Essence can be obtained of storekeepers everywhere. Its excellence has induced imitations; therefore, see you get Cadbury's when asked for.—[Advt.]

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AMUSEMENTS.

THE Y. M. C. A. MUSICAL SOCIETY.

The first subscription concert of the above society took place last evening, in the fine hall belonging to the institution, at their buildings, in Pitt-street. The audience was numerous, nearly filling the body of the hall, notwithstanding that the list of subscribers is not yet quite filled up. The society is under the hon. conductorship of Mr. H. J. Noble, his Honor Judge Stephen being president, and Mr. James R. Fairfax and Mr. George Durham, vice-presidents. Last evening the society was assisted by Mrs. A. J. Gray, Miss Nellie Banks, Signor Lardelli, and Mr. S. L. Deane, who, with those more immediately connected with the organisation, contrived to give a very creditable concert. The society is quite in its infancy at present, this being its first appearance in public, and it may be complimented on having made a good start. It is most commendable that those concerned have been content to begin quietly and unassumingly, and avoid too ambitious flights. On the present occasion nothing but simple part-songs were attempted, and those may be said to have been well rendered, considering the circumstances already mentioned. The choral selections given were:—(1) "The Rainbow," by Tours; (2) the fine old madrigal, "Since First I Saw Your Face," by Ford; (3) Gaul's charming barcarolle, "The Ferry Maiden;" (4) Leslie's "Evening," and a "Lullaby," by R. Bentley Young; and (5) Pinsuti's "Spring Song." Of these the best rendered were "The Ferry Maiden" and the "Lullaby," in both of which careful attention to light and shade was paid. In reference to the first attempt of a young society, precise criticism would be out of place; and so we may rather content ourselves with a few words of advice and encouragement. A little more attention to balance of tone must be given, and it must be recognised that the only way to secure a good "blending" of voices is to keep one and all well within their power; because immediately the forcing of voices is allowed then every single voice becomes separately distinguishable, and "blend" is destroyed. A full volume of tone is not expected from a small body of chorus voices, and it should be rather the aim of the conductor to content himself with little, but to have that little good. At present there is a noticeable timidity of attack, and also a lack of genuine *sostenuto* the notes being fairly sounded, each in turn, but fading away to some extent before their successors are arrived at. There appears to be a laudable *esprit de corps*, and a commendable earnestness and an enthusiasm manifested by the society, so that if conductor and chorus persevere in the right direction, ultimate full success will doubtless follow.

Mrs. A. J. Gray essayed the aria "With verdure clad," from "Haydn's Creation," together with its accompanying recitative. Neither the accompaniment nor the solo was satisfactorily rendered; but it would be ungracious to dwell hereon in detail, as an apology was made later on in the evening, the kindly sympathies of the audience being asked on behalf of the vocalist, who was suffering from a derangement of the throat, as was explained. Nothwithstanding this, however, this lady gave a very fair rendering of Tosti's "Good-bye." Mr. J. M. Callaghan, who possesses a good-toned tenor voice, was successful in Randegger's "Sunshine a d Shade," and Mr. S. L. Deane, despite nervousness and some lack of power, gave so good a reading of Pinsuti's "Thy Sentinel am I," that he had to respond to the expressed desire for more, when he gave "The King's Champion," by Watson. Signor Lardelli contributed no less than six organ solos, viz.:—"Festal Offertoire," by Dr. Vincent; "Intermezzo," by Allan Macbeth; "Alla Marcia," of his own composition; Lemmen's celebrated "Fanfare"; the "Entr'acte," from Gounod's Colombe; and Bach's "G Minor Fugue." Excepting for a serious tendency to hurry everything, apparently the result of nervousness at public performance, these solos would have been really well played. As it was, their clearness of effect was marred through excessive speed. But the good execution shown in his own composition (which, by-the-bye, is of considerable merit) may lead to the expectation of good performances from this organist if only the nervousness wears off. Miss Nellie Banks gave a very good rendering of Raff's "Cachouca Caprice," although the piece contains more sound than music; but her performance of Mendelssohn's "Andante and Rondo Capriccioso" (opus 14) was somewhat hard and unsympathetic, and the final movement was robbed of all its crisp staccato effect by the misuse of the "damper-pedal," while unwarrantable deviations from the composer's tempo were indulged in by the performer. At future concerts of the society, it will probably be found advisable to give greater prominence to choral items, if it be desired to maintain as well as to create the full interest of the members in their work. But, thus far, such good promise has been shown that we have nothing but encouragement to give, and to urge continued enthusiasm and perseverance.

THE JORAN-FAMILY CONCERTS.

The last concert to be given in Australia by the talented Joran Family is advertised to take place on Tuesday evening next. This company furnishes entertainments of such excellent quality that they are deserving of notice by all; and as it is always a satisfaction to feel that the last impressions of foreign visitors are favourable to ourselves, it may be specially hoped that this final concert will be well patronised. The published programme contains a well-arranged series of good selections.

METROPOLITAN LIEDERTAFEL.

The 21st concert of the Metropolitan Liedertafel will be given in the New Masonic Hall on Wednesday next, when a good programme will be presented. Beside various attractive choral numbers, there will be violin solos by Mr. Rivers Allpress, songs by Messrs. D. Clancy and Hallewell, and Miss Violett; selection for cornets and euphonium by Messrs. M'Mahon, Rollo, and Hearne; and pianoforte music by Messrs. M'Quade and Hyndes.

OPERA HOUSE.

Miss Amy Sherwin's Concert Company start a new season this evening, at the Opera House. The company has been enlarged by the addition of Mr. Walshe, tenor; Mr. Frank Ridsdale, baritone; Signor Pagnotti, flautist; and Miss Acton Blair, contralto. A novelty is promised, taking the form of an entire act from some favourite opera, to be given in costume, at each concert. The programme this evening will include songs by Messrs. Walshe and Lencioni, and violin solos by Herr Rhodes, besides which Miss Amy Sherwin will sing Eckert's "Swiss Echo Song" and Bishop's "Lo! here the gentle lark," with flute obligato, and the company will join together in a selection from "Lucia di Lammermoor," and in one act from Donizetti's "Don Pasquale." Further particulars may be seen on reference to our advertising columns.

THE ROYAL STANDARD THEATRE.

At the Royal Standard Theatre last evening, "Romeo and Juliet" was again presented to a very large audience. Miss Lily Dampier has become a great favourite with the public in the representation of Juliet, and deservedly so, and much of the success which has attended the production is due to this fact. Mr. Dampier's impersonation of Mercutio is unquestionably very fine, and Mr. Alfred Boothman has shown improvement every time he has appeared in the part of Romeo. In other respects the cast was a very strong one, and the play was received with very marked signs of approval. This evening a romantic drama in a prologue and four acts, entitled "The Wreck of the Dunbar," will be produced for the first time in Sydney, Mr. and Miss Lily Dampier appearing in the principal characters.

THE CRITERION THEATRE.

Last evening the Brough and Boucicault season at the Criterion Theatre was brought to a termination with the performance of the "Colleen Bawn," tendered as a complimentary benefit to Miss Boucicault. There was a large and fashionable audience, and the play went very well. Miss Boucicault represented the Colleen Bawn, and Mr. Boucicault, jun., appeared as Danny Mann, both winning the warmest plaudits for their admirable delineations of those characters. The other characters were played in that meritorious manner of which we have before spoken.

This evening a season of Shakespearian drama will be commenced under the direction of Mr. W. J Holloway, and "Romeo and Juliet" will be presented, with a very superior cast. Miss Essie Jenyns will appear as Juliet, and Mr. Holloway as Romeo. New scenery has been painted, and we are given to understand that the costumes, arms, and jewels, have been specially imported from Paris for the occasion.

Messrs. Rignold and Allison were hopeful of opening Her Majesty's Theatre this evening; but, finding this impossible, they have now postponed the opening to Saturday evening next.

Professor Anderson, who has so far enjoyed a very successful season at the Gaiety Theatre, in his wonderful wizard feats, is now announcing his last nights.

On Wednesday, the 21st instant, a concert will be given at the Y. M. C. A. Hall in aid of the central fund of the Girls' Friendly Society. The good work of this society has been widely recognised, and the organisation has received the approval and patronage of Lady Carrington, Lady Innes, Mrs. Riley, and other ladies. The following ladies and gentlemen have offered their services:—Mrs. Field, Misses Chapman, Coombes, Evans, Hathaway, and Phillips; Messrs. Callaghan, C. Mitchell, Parkinson, and Brown, &c. The object for which the concert is projected will doubtless serve to commend it to all who take interest in societies which aim at contributing to social welfare.

At the New Masonic Hall last night, the occasion being an entertainment in aid of the building fund of the New South Wales Artillery gymnasium, a special concert was held, which attracted a full audience. The military element, which provided the best music, was prominently represented by Sergeant Grey, who accompanied the stringed band, under the direction of Bandmaster M. Devery. Amongst the other performers were Mrs. Berry Drinan, Miss Paige, and Colonel Bingham, R. A. The concert was well received throughout.

Our Brisbane correspondent telegraphs that George Leitch's Company opened in the Theatre Royal on Monday with "Harbour Lights," and has been performing nightly with great success to crowded houses, the scenery and mechanism being the most elaborate yet seen here. Grattan Riggs is playing at the Gaiety Theatre with "First Class."

FRY'S PURE CONCENTRATED COCOA.—"Oriel House, Princes-avenue, Princes Park, Liverpool, December 7th, 1885.—Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons.—The 'Pure Concentrated Cocoa,' prepared by Messrs. J. S. Fry and Sons, of Bristol, I regard as one of the best preparations of the kind in use in this country. It is palatable, nutritious, and easily digestible, forming a beverage suitable alike for invalids and others. GLYNN WHITTLE, M.A., M.D., M.R.C.S., &c."—[ADVT.]

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The withdrawals from the following events of the Hawkesbury Race Club's Spring Meeting were notified yesterday:—Two-Year-Old Stakes: Ganymede. Hawkesbury Guineas and Produce Stakes: The Wave. Hawkesbury Handicap: Kohai. Hawkesbury Guineas: Southerly Buster.

The annual sale of Hungarian, Shetland, and Exmoor ponies, bred by Mr. John Bennett, Brush Farm, is announced to take place at Messrs. W. Inglis and Co.'s Bazaar on Tuesday next, when a score of well-bred and handsome animals, the progeny of the well-known pony sires Bonnie Charlie, World's Wonder, Sir Thomas, Merlin, and others, will be brought under the hammer. The ponies have been carefully broken in, and are quiet, docile, and fit for immediate use. Bonnie Charlie, the sire of most of the ponies, is located at Messrs. Inglis and Co.'s bazaar, where he can be seen by those interested, and the lot will be on view on Monday.

Advices from Richmond state that, nothwithstanding that five inches of rain fell in that district during the week, the Hawkesbury Racecourse is in splendid condition for racing, and the tracks will all be open for work on Monday. The committee of the race club have allowed Mr. John Mayo to correct the nomination of The Queen for the two handicaps in which she was described as being by "Drummer" instead of by "The Drummer." With the view of preventing welshing at the Spring Meeting, the committee have resolved to offer liberal rewards to persons bringing under their notice any case of the kind, and further that they will prosecute any such offenders with the utmost rigour of the law.

Horse owners and trainers who have entered their charges for the Plattsburg and Wallsend Amateur Race Club Handicaps are reminded that acceptances take place on Monday next.

The liberal programme issued by the Maryborough (Q.) Jockey Club for their spring meeting will occupy the attention of racing men on Monday, when nominations for the leading handicaps close at 4 p.m.

A race meeting takes place at Moonee Valley (Vic.) to-day.

The owner of the Victorian bred racing mare, Smallgoods, intimates elsewhere in this issue, his willingness to come to terms for a match over a mile course, for stakes not exceeding £25 aside.

Some fashionably-bred additions to the racing stock of Northern Queensland have recently been secured at Melbourne by Mr. John Beattie, of Duaringa, near Rockhampton. They comprise the thoroughbred stallions Anglesey and Prime Minister, who were selected for their new owner by Mr. John Living, of Rockhampton. Anglesey is a handsome bay horse, and was bred by Mr. W. J. Dangar, at Neotsfield, having been foaled in 1879. He comes of a good family, as he is by Hawthornden from Algeria (dam of Algerian), by Blinkhoolie from Adrastia, by St. Albans from Nemesis, by Newminster; and his turf performances include two victories in the V. R. C. Brunswick Stakes. Prime Minister also has several good strains of blood to recommend him, as he is by Newminster from Miss Melbourne (imp.), by Young Melbourne from Inez, by Newminster from Barcelona, by Don John from Industry. He was bred in Victoria by Mr. H. Phillips, and is now rising seven years old.

Latest advices from New Zealand show that serious reductions have been made in the principal prizes to be distributed by the Auckland Racing Club and the Dunedin Jockey Club during the current racing season. The Dunedin Cup has been reduced by 300 sovs.—nearly one-third of its former value. The Auckland Cup has also suffered to the extent of 250 sovs., or a reduction of one-fourth, and other stakes have been proportionately cut down. Those who assert that the use of the totalisator enables racing institutions to increase their prizes should remember that the "machine" is in full swing on the New Zealand racecourses.

One of the welshing fraternity had rather a rough experience at Wagga Wagga on Tuesday evening last. He had been laying wagers at the meeting of the Amateur Race Club during the day; but when the time came to meet his engagements he failed to produce the cash. During the evening he was recognised in the town, and as he did not satisfy the demands of his clients, they became demonstrative—to put it mildly—whereupon he broke away for the railway station, but ere he reached the haven of safety he was recaptured and dragged back to the Australian Hotel, where he threw himself upon the protection of Senior-Sergeant Powell, was removed at his own request to the lockup, and subsequently, when matters had calmed down, he took his departure unostentatiously from such uncongenial quarters.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs that the racehorses Dividend and The Charger leave this morning for Sydney.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBION PARK RACES.

ALBION PARK, FRIDAY.

The Albion Park races took place to-day, with the following results:—

TRIAL STAKES.—Reynard and Hopeful a dead heat; Signet, 3.

ALBION PARK STAKES.—Star, 1; Hopefield, 2.

MACQUARIE HANDICAP.—Hopeful, 1; Eurebus, 2; Plaintiff, 3. Time, 2 min tes 25 seconds.

SELLING RACE.—The Star, 1; Kembla, 2.

FLYING HANDICAP.—Plaintiff, 1; The Boss, 2. The Boss was the favourite, but was nowhere. Time, 1 minute 56½ seconds.

The FORCED HANDICAP.—Eurebus, 1; Pantaloon, 2; Newtown, 3. Time, 2 minutes 4½ seconds.

The course was very bad, and the time was, consequently, bad. The attendance was not up to the usual standard.

(FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.)

BERRIMA COURSING CLUB.

MOSS VALE, FRIDAY.

The Berrima Coursing Club commenced a two days' coursing meeting at Eridge Park to-day. The weather was fine but very cold, and the attendance was small. The meeting commenced with the Eridge Park Cup, first round and first ties of which were run off, the dogs left in for the second ties being Shylock, Patience the Second, and Tilly Morrison. The first round and first ties of the Maiden Stakes were also run off, the survivors being Lady in Black, Charlie, and Beatrix. The meeting will be continued on Saturday, when the finals in the above stakes will be run off, and the Kent Brewery Stakes, for eight dogs, will also be decided.

The following are the details of to-day's coursing:—

ERIDGE PARK CUP, for an unlimited number of all-ages, at £2 2s. each; closed with nine entries; winner, £11; runner-up, £5; third dog, £2.

FIRST ROUND.

Mr. H. Taylor's b d w b Titania, by Capri—Lingley Burn, beat Messrs. Wade and Wiles's f w d Whakawa, by Lelex—Lolly, after a no-course.

Mr. W. Morrice ns b d w d Shylock, by Lelex—Lilac, beat Mr. W. Charker's f w d Bootjack, by Harkaway—Bega.

Mr. B. Pempers, jun., b e w b Patience II., by Liberator—Lollypop, beat Mr. P. A. Lamb's w f b Lady Glenroy, by Chesterfield—Mint.

Mr. G. R. Barnes's r b Tilly Morrison, by Pretender—Dinah, beat Mr. P. A. Lamb's r w d Legislator (late Nip), by Malone—Nellie.

Mr. J. J. O'Halloran's be w b Muriel, by Tom King—Messalina, ran a bye.

FIRST TIES.

Skylock beat Titania Patience beat Muriel	Tilly Morrison ran a bye.

MAIDEN STAKES, for an unlimited number of dog and bitch puppies that have never won more than two courses in any stake, at £1 1s. each.

FIRST ROUND.

Mr. P. A. Lamb's bk w b Lady in Black, by Crabtree—Ladylike, beat Mr. H. Taylor's w bk b Wee Wee, by Tom King—Spider.

Mr. R. Tate's bk w b Thoughtless, by Rover—Fly, beat Mr. W. Morrice's bk w b Misery, by Pretender—Lulu.

Mr. W. Charker's bk w d Charlie, by Tom King—Spider, beat Mr. T. Graham's bk w d Glencoe, by Montrose—Like Like.

Mr. H. Taylor's w bk d Tel-el-Kebir, by Wentworth—Nemesis, beat Mr. H. Pember's bk w d Mahdi, by Fadzel.

Mr. C. A. M'Donald's bk w b Beatrix, by Mornington—Bella, beat Mr. J. J. Roberts's bk w b Ristori, by Xixion—Bega.

Mr. H. Jeffrey's f w d Justice, by Lelix—Gipsy, ran a bye.

FIRST TIES.

Lady in Black beat Thoughtless Beatrix beat Justice.	Charlie beat Tel-el-Kebir

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBURY COURSING CLUB.

ALBURY, FRIDAY.

The Albury Coursing Club match was resumed to-day, and concluded. The weather was fine and the coursing good.

SAPLING STAKES for four Saplings, whelped after 30th June, 1886; 10s. each; winner, £2.

Mr. B. Sharp's fawn dog First Chance, by Paddy—Belle, ran a bye.

Mr. J. Gleeson's f w b Fawn, by Spring—Kibo Lass, beat Mr. F. J. Mitchell's bk w d Moscow, by Telltale—Magic.

DECIDING COURSE.

Fawn beat First Chance

FAREWELL STAKES.

SECOND TIES.

Girl of the Period beat Waterford	Shot beat Jim Crow

DECIDING COURSE.

Girl of the Period beat Shot

MEMBERS' STAKE.

DECIDING COURSE.

Black Angel beat Telltale.

CRICKET.

BELVIDERE CRICKET CLUB.—The annual meeting of the Belvidere Cricket Club was held at the Exchange Hotel, last evening, when there was a fair attendance of members, and Mr. J. S. Richardson presided. The report and balance-sheet for the past year were submitted and adopted, on the motion of Mr. Halligan seconded by Mr. Ryrie. The report congratulated the members on the success which had attended their representatives in the cricket field during the past season, and also upon the satisfactory financial position of the club. The first eleven played 19 matches during the season, of which 6 were won, 2 lost, and 11 drawn; the total number of runs being 3235, or an average of 21 per wicket against their opponents' 2224 runs, averaging 12·3 runs per wicket. The matches played by the second eleven numbered 27, of which 11 were won, 5 lost, and 11 drawn. The trophy for the highest aggregate was won by H. Moses, with a total of 465, and he also had the highest average of 46·1 runs in the first eleven, but he had not played in a sufficient number of matches to entitle him to the trophy, which fell to C. Richardson with an average of 33·4. The bat presented by Mr. E. M. Halligan was secured by W. Richardson, for the greatest number of double-figure innings; and the bowling trophy was appropriated by J. J. Ferris, with an average of 8·3 runs per wicket. In the second eleven L. Deuchar had the best batting (18.1) and bowling (10·2) averages. The first eleven had visited Newcastle, and Bathurst in January last, but were unable to play at either place owing to the weather. The balance-sheet showed an amount of £6 17s. 7d. on the right side of the ledger, to be carried forward to the coming season. The election of officers resulted as under:—Patron, Mr. F. H. Dangar; president, Hon. J. B. Watt; vice-presidents, Messrs. J. R. Street, M.L.A., H. H. Brown, M.L.A., A. Ryrie, S. A. Lindeman, J. L. Adams, H. A. Holden, E. L. Jones, and Dr. Cortis, M.L.A.; hon. secretary, Mr. W. B. Fairfax; hon. treasurer, Mr. E. A. Garland; committee, Messrs. J. S. Richardson, M. B. Halligan, A. W. Crane, C. C. Ryrie, C. A. Richardson, and W. S. Goldfinch; delegates to New South Wales Cricket Association, Messrs. W. B. Fairfax, J. S. Richardson, and M. B. Halligan; auditors, Messrs. E. O. C. Smith and O. Deuchar; selection committee, Messrs. C. A. Richardson, W. B. Fairfax, and H. Moses. The following trophies were then presented by the chairman:—Highest aggregate in club, case of razors, H. Moses; best batting average, gold pin, C. A. Richardson; greatest number double-figure scores, prize bat, W. Richardson; highest average batting and bowling in second eleven, gold ring, O. Deuchar; best bowling average in first eleven, prize bat, J. J. Ferris. A vote of thanks to the chairman terminated the proceedings.

VERONA C. C.—The Verona Club held their annual soiree on Thursday evening, at Matheson's Moore Park Hotel, when there was an excellent attendance of members, old and new, besides several friends. The chair was taken by Mr. W. C. Hinwood, and the vice-chair by Mr. W. Cubitt, both vice-presidents of the club. After the company had done justice to the good things at their disposal, the chairman presented the trophies for last season's play, as follows:—First batting average won by G. R. Gee, average 22·8 per innings; first bowling, Lipman, average 6 runs per wicket; second bowling, A. Edmondson, 8 runs per wicket. The trophy for highest individual scores was also secured by G. R. Gee, with 70 runs made against Newcastle. Mr. W. R. Clarke carried off the trophy for the highest not out with 128, while Mr. Southwell was the recipient of the trophy for fielding. Mr. J. Holdsworth won the second batting with an average of 20·8, but unfortunately his trophy was not ready, and the presentation was deferred until next monthly meeting. During the evening the chairman, on behalf of the members, presented the hon. secretary with a handsome gold locket in recognition of past services. The Veronas will play a very strong team this season, for we understand the following well-known players have joined the club:—Joseph, Enright, and Doyle (late Richmond C.C.), Young and Mackenzie (Mansfields), Gilbert, C. Muddle, and Duncan.

The Waverley and Ormonde teams start their programme this afternoon at Waverley. The local club will be represented by V. Adams, G. Adams, Allen, Dole, Forbes, Phillips, Ross, Searson, Sutton, Teefy, and A. Terrey.

The Leichhardt C. C. meet the first St. Peters this afternoon at Leichhardt Park, when the following will represent the L. C. C.:—Messrs. C. Searle, Parker, Hill, Jones (2), Miller, Collins, Shaw, Langley, Clement, and Taylor; G. Taylor, 12th.

The Balmain Cricket Club open their season at Marrickville to-day against the local club. The following will represent Balmain:—C. Allt, H. Brent, F. Iredale, A. M'Coy, E. Corkhill, S. Deane, F. Corkhill, W. H. Davies, J. Ferguson, T. Deane, W. Deane.

The thirty-fifth annual meeting of the Albert Cricket Club is to take place on Monday evening next at Levy and Scott's rooms, Oxford-street. The trophies of last season have been awarded as follows:—Mr. H. A. Solomon's trophy for first eleven batting average, to J. Shepherd; club badge for bowling in first eleven, to T. Deane; Mr. H. A. Solomon's trophy for second eleven batting average, to W. Bramley; Mr. J. Shepherd's trophy for highest number of double-figure innings, to W. Bramley; and club badge for second eleven bowling average also to W. Bramley. The above trophies are to be presented at the annual meeting. It might also be mentioned that the club has already received promises from Messrs. H. A. Solomon, N. Thompson, and J. Shepherd for trophies to be competed for during the ensuing season. This club intend as usual to engage practice wickets on the Association Ground and Domain, and also have secured dates for Saturdays and Wednesdays on the new ground at Rushcutter Bay.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BULLI, FRIDAY.

The local cricket club held a banquet last night at the Railway Hotel, at which Alderman Wiley, of Wollongong, presented the club with a cash trophy of 10 guineas, for which the Wollongong and Dapto clubs have competed for the past three years, the local men winning in two seasons. Mr. Edward Ramsay, of Woonona, presented the trophy for the highest single innings during the past year to A. G. Chapman, with 61 runs, Chapman presenting the bowling trophy to A. Rixon.

FOOTBALL.

The cups and medals for the premiership and the prizes for the Southern Rugby Union sports will be presented this evening at Compagnoni's rooms, Pitt-street; and footballers will also note that a welcome will be accorded at the same place to the team just returned from Queensland.

In our advertising columns appear particulars of the Sydney Club's fifth annual picnic and sports meeting which takes place next Saturday at Chowder Bay. The sports programme, in addition to the usual club events, includes the N. S. W. Drop-kick Championship, which event, being open to all-comers, has, year after year, created more interest among footballers; and a handicap 150 yards flat race, for amateurs only. Entries for the latter event, and also the members' 150 and 440 yards events close to-night at Goer and Butler's rooms, 234, Castlereagh-street.

Owing to the match against Pyrmont Swifts having been abandoned, the Rovers have decided to finish up the season by selecting teams representing captain and vice-captain to play against each other, and a good game should result.

LACROSSE.

The following names have been selected, from which the intercolonial team for Brisbane will be picked:—S. Ball, Bligh, E. Bulcher, J. Banks, Fisher, Gregory, W. Howe, F. Martin, Matthews, Montagu, Noake, W. Pettit, Pendleton, M. J. Richardson, A. Sulz, J. Sulz, O. Stephens. The sub-committee appointed for the purpose will meet on Tuesday night, at Rainford's, to make their final decision.

PEDESTRIANISM.

At 9 o'clock to-night nominations for the ninth Carrington Grand Handicap, to be run on September 17, 20, 22, and 24 will close.

Acceptances close on Monday night next with Mr. Jack Thompson and the Secretary for the third 440 yards Carrington Handicap, to be run on the 10th instant.

The 12th Sir Joseph Banks' Handicap will be concluded to-day, at Botany, when the final heat is announced to be run at 5.30. The first heat starts at 3 p.m. Omnibuses and special trams will run all the afternoon, to take visitors to the grounds. There are 63 men to compete to-day, and they are to be drawn in heats at 2.30. The handicap has been most interesting, and a very large amount of speculation and betting has taken place over it. Myers, the most celebrated athlete in the world, is first favourite and his running to-day with the other first-class men from all parts of the world should more than repay a visit to Botany. The starts are the very best yet issued for any handicap, as more men have been backed this time than on any previous occasion, and, taken altogether, this is considered by far the most successful handicap promoted by Frank Smith. The following was the state of the betting on the final last night at Tattersall's Rooms:—100 to 30 v. Myers, 100 to 25 v. Byrchall, 100 to 14 v. Atkinson, 100 to 12 v. Bushell, 100 to 7 v. Church, 100 to 6 v. Tasker, 100 to 4 v. Smith, 100 to 4 v. Eagleton, 100 to 3 v. Love, 100 to 3 v. Moore.

ATHLETICS.

A good bill of fare is prepared for discussion to-night at Foley's Athletic Hall—four or five good pairs, with an interesting finale in the shape of a "wind up" between the Amateur Champion and Tom Taylor.

A special meeting of the executive of the New South Wales Amateur Athletic Association was held at the rooms last night, the business being the consideration of a letter received from the Sydney Grammar School Amateur Athletic Club, refusing to become affiliated to the association, and declining to have the sports held under the auspices of the association. The executive, therefore, were compelled by its rules to issue its first veto, and debar any member of an amateur athletic club affiliated to the N. S. W. A. A. A. from competing in the races on the club's programme. Should any such member compete he will be liable to disqualification.

CYCLING.

A meeting of the Crusaders' Cycling Club was held at the Adelaide Hotel on Thursday evening for the purpose of dealing with the business left over from the previous meeting. Several new members were elected. The election of officers was proceeded with and resulted as follows:—Treasurer, Mr. J. Allen; committee, Messrs. W. H. Poole, R. P. Hoy, and W. H. Palmer; delegate to the Cyclists' Union, Mr. W. H. Poole. The work of drawing up a set of rules was referred to the committee, the same to be submitted to a general meeting as soon as possible. After some discussion the following uniform was adopted, viz., brown tweed jacket and pants, blue stockings, straw hat, with red and white ribbon; badge to be silver shield with red cross, and "Crusaders C. C." across the centre. It was also decided that the opening run should be held on Saturday, October 1.

The Sydney Bicycle Club hold their meeting this afternoon, on the Association Cricket Ground, Moore Park. The fine weather we have had the last two days, together with the attention that the committee have paid to the ground, will have the effect of making a faster track for the wheelmen than they have had lately. A great deal of interest is centred in this meeting, as South Australia, Victoria, and some members of country clubs have been training on the ground for some days past, and their friends have been watching closely their times. The Telegraph-office will be opened for the convenience of the cyclists and their friends. The trams will run at short intervals during the day, and the committee have worked hard and well to anticipate the wants of their visitors, which we trust will be as numerous as expected.

COMMERCIAL.

THE WOOL TRADE.

During the week the cabled news from Europe touching wool has been very meagre. Such as it is, however, as will be seen from the undernoted message from our own correspondent, it is of a satisfactory character. Under date, London, August 25, he states:—"At the Antwerp wool sales on Wednesday, 3700 bales of Australian wool were sold, the average prices obtained being equal to the ruling rates at the last London auctions. There is more animation in the market." We also understand that a private wire received in town on Wednesday reports more hopefully of prospects for ensuing sales than the general feeling entertained towards the close of July, when the mail brought by the Orizaba left, then warranted.

Writing on the 22nd of that month a well-informed correspondent thus adverts to the position at that time:—"The result of these June-July sales has to some extent exceeded the expectations of the trade, and hopes are entertained that with the present fine weather, and the interval to ensue before the following sales commence on the 6th September, the basis of prices may then remain unchanged; but at present in the manufacturing districts there is only a slow consumptive demand to meet present wants, which, however, is generally the case after a long sale."

From the *Bradford Observer* of July 25 we extract the following:—"Bradford, Monday, July 25, 1887.—Wool—Business does not improve much. Users operate with extreme caution, and very little changes hands. Except in the case of forced sales, however, there is little or no giving way in price. Values are greatly sustained by the great firmness in all country districts. There is also less old wool than usual, and stocks are on the whole conveniently held. The failure announced elsewhere has a rather depressing effect, but on the whole confidence in the future is well maintained. Botany wools and tops are not very saleable, but they remain quoted at about late prices. Mohair also is nominally unchanged. Alpaca has found buyers at about recent rates. Yarns: The yarn trade for export continues to be a good deal restricted. This is partly attributed to the time of year, which is usually a quiet one, and partly to the reluctance of users abroad to pay any advance on the lowest rates of last year. There are offers again to-day (chiefly in twofolds and tube sorts) at less than spinners will accept. A considerable part of the current demand is met from merchants' stocks, and spinners take but few orders, but they nevertheless keep pretty firmly to their last quotations, and until wool gives way they cannot afford any concessions. The home trade spinners report business in Botany yarns as being very difficult to do. There are many of them somewhat abridging their output. Fourmies (Nord), Monday.—The situation in the merino and cashmere trade is still very unsatisfactory with regard to the sale of these cloths. The few offers which have been made during the week show a further decline of 5 centimes on the last prices, which are already too low to allow the manufacturer any profit. Paris, Rheims, Roubaix, and even the English markets are also very quiet just now. One of the chief causes of this stagnancy is over-production."

There have been no Sydney auction sales held this week. We hear, however, of some little inquiry for scoured wool, which has led to a parcel of 60 to 70 bales changing hands at a price withheld. As regards the large clip in the grease referred to in our report 18th ultimo, it is understood that the negotiations then in progress for its sale did not result in business.

The wool stores in town are now beginning to wear a busier aspect, and in addition to the brands already mentioned as having partly arrived, we notice in warehouse portions of the following clips, viz.:—M'Rae, C&A, SST; C in diamond, Burburgate; TC over Eglbra, GF, Anchor, AG over Ellengowra; Clift Bros. over Breeza; Dight, DMK, C&R over W, which will in due course be brought forward for sale in this market.

From inland the reports continue favourable. Feed and water are everywhere abundant (indeed, from some districts in the north-west complaints come of the season being altogether too moist), and as a rule shearing difficulties have been got over.

Present appearances point to a somewhat less quantity of new wool finding its way to London for the November sales than was the case in 1886. A reference to Messrs. R. Goldsbrough and Co.'s circular of the 23rd August will show that up to that date the total shipments from Australia and New Zealand amounted to 20,999 bales; whilst up to the corresponding period last year they were 27,979 bales, leaving a decrease of 6980 bales.

This leeway will doubtless be more than made up ere long; but, considering the boggy state of the roads in many localities, it is questionable whether the lost ground can be recovered prior to, say, the first week of October—latest sailing date for steamers with any certainty of reporting in time for inclusion in the November sales.

Arrivals by rail and sea amount to 3905 bales, as against 1259 bales during the same week last year.

Exports.—Two steamers have cleared since our last, taking as under:—

Aug. 27	Orient (s.)	..	34 bales
" 31	Ballaarat (s.)	..	1020 bales
			1054 bales
	Brought forward	..	5528 bales
	Total since 1st July	..	6582 bales

as against 7845 bales same period last year.

Freight for wool to London by steamer, ½d. and ⅝d. respectively for greasy and washed, and ⅜d. and ½d. by sailing vessels presently on the berth, are now the generally quoted rates.

Sheepskins.—Catalogues were smaller this week than last. Prices, however, remain about the same, with a tendency to a weaker tone in the market.

STOCK, STATION, AND PRODUCE REPORTS.

Tallow.—Messrs. Mort and Co., Limited, F. L. Barker, Hill, Clark, and Co., J. Bridge, Brunker and Wolfe, J. H. Geddes and Co., and Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, report holding sales yesterday. 332 packages were offered and 105 sold publicly. There was a better shipping inquiry, especially for lines of good bright beef, which were quitted at an advance on late rates. Trade lots were dull of sale. Quotations:—Best beef, £18 to £18 5s per ton; exceptional lines, to £18 10s; medium, £17 5s to £17 15s; mixed and station, £15 10s to £17; inferior, from £14.

Hides.—5486 were offered, and 4839 sold at yesterday's sales. The market was unaltered. Sloppy conditioned lots were in very limited request. Quotations: Extra heavy good-conditioned, 3½d to 3¾d; sloppy, 3¼d to 3½d; medium, 3¼d to 3¾d; light 3¼d to 4½d; dry station, to 4½d. Horsehides, 2s 6d to 7s 6d. Calfskins, 9d to 3s. Yearlings, 4s to 9s 6d.

Marsupial Skins.—At auction yesterday, Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, report having disposed of a large catalogue. Competition was animated, and with the exception of small sizes, values realised were equal to those lately ruling, namely:—Extra large, 100s to 120s per dozen; large, 70s to 80s; fair, 50s to 60s; medium, 30s to 42s; small, 15s to 24s; very small, 2s to 9s; good wallaby, 8s to 11s; medium, 3s to 5s; opossum (best), 7s 6d to 8s; fair, 5s to 6s; inferior and rumpers, 2s to 3s 6d; goatskins, 4d to 24d.

Hair.—Remains steady at the following range of prices:—Horse, 13d to 16d per lb.; mane, 8d to 10d; cow, washed, 10d to 11d; dirty, from 8d; stumps, from 4½d to 7d.

Horns and Bones.—A firm enquiry exists for large and well cared for parcels of the former, at 27s to 34s per 100; medium, 15s to 25s; small and tips from 4s. The latter are still very difficult of sale. Best shanks quoted at £5 to £6 per ton; inferior, from £3 10s; common, £2 10s to £3; hoofs, £2.

Leather.—At Tuesday's sales the business transacted was limited, the demand being entirely for tweed. Kip, still weak, at reduced rates. Harness lines and sole leather were also dull. Quotations: Extra heavy sole, 11d to 12d; medium, 8d to 8½d; kip, 12½d to 16d; cow tweed, 18d to 24d; heavy, 15d to 16d; yearling tweed, 18d to 20d calf tweed, 18d to 22d; waxed calf, 18d to 24d; harness, 12d to 14d; bag, 9s to 11s; bridle, 9s to 11s 9d.

Horses.—The market has been largely stocked with fresh country horses during the week, a good number from the town and suburbs also being offered for sale. The demand for good, useful stock is maintained, especially heavy draught sorts. Quotations: Best saddle and harness horses, £20 to £25; ordinary, £10 to £15; active draught and van horses, £12 to £20; heavy draught to £30.

Store Cattle.—The demand for store bullocks is less active. At Dubbo the quotation is about 55s; cows in fair request at up to 60s.

Store Sheep.—Not much doing in store sheep; wethers, shorn, are worth 5s 6d to 6s; mixed weaners, 6s 9d to 7s 6d.

Stations.—Scarcely anything doing.

PRODUCE MARKET—FRIDAY.

Short supplies of wood and forage were submitted this morning at Darling Harbour Terminus. The sales were moderately attended by the trade. In the forage market the demand was exclusively for chaff, whilst hay and straw were almost neglected. Values are unimproved. Yesterday's inquiry for wood was fully maintained. At the wharfs fairly good consignments were forward from Northern rivers, Southern ports, and the neighbouring colonies. Transactions were entirely for quantities for the day's requirements. New Zealand potatoes are weaker, but other lines are unchanged. At Darling Harbour sales, the following rates were realised:—

Wood.—Short quantities. Business was animated, at per ton: Billet, 9s 6d to 11s 6d; bundle, 10s 6d to 14s 6d; foot, 10s to 14s 6d; bakers', 9s to 12s.

Hay.—Limited arrivals again forward this morning, but was sufficient for requirements. Oaten, in bundles, 2s 8d to 4s 6d per cwt.; lucerne, in truss, 1s 2d to 1s 10d; bundled, 2s 5d; oaten and wheaten, in bundles, 4s 3d.

Straw.—Two trucks of clean in bundles to hand, which realised 2s 1d to 2s 4d per cwt.

Chaff.—Comparatively small consignments. Fair competition existed for all lots to hand. Oaten in bags, 3s to 5s 2d per cwt.

On the wharfs the following were the wholesale quotations:—

Maize.—Further additional supplies from the Northern Rivers last night and this morning. The falling off in the export demand for Queensland ports has caused a quiet tone in the market, but values still range at 3s 0d to 3s 7d per bushel.

Oats.—Business is exclusively for good bright stout feed at 2s 2d to 2s 3d per bushel; medium and dark sorts inactive from 1s 10d; seed, to 2s 8d.

Barley.—Best Cape seed nominally worth 3s to 3s 3d per bushel

Bran.—Unaltered, at 8½d to 8¾d per bushel.

Pollard.—Quiet, at 8d to 8½d per bushel.

Hay.—Moderate arrivals from the Hunter River this morning. Trade remains weak. Prime, well-saved lucerne, £8 to £8 5s per ton; other sorts, from 20s to 40s.

Chaff.—Stocks supplemented by supplies from neighbouring colonies this morning. Adelaide and Victorian lines in restricted request at £4 to £5 per ton.

Onions.—Additional consignments of 473 bags this morning from Victoria. Quoted at £3 to £3 10s per ton.

Potatoes.—Further shipments from Tasmania this morning. Market dull at £3 5s per ton for Circular Head; New Zealand receded in values, and now worth to 35s.

Butter.—Best Illawarra, in keg, unaltered at 1s 3d per lb.; roll, 1s 1d to 1s 2d; factory-made, 1s 2d to 1s 4d.

Cheese.—The demand is still weak for ordinary colonial sorts at 2d to 4½d per lb.; loaf cheese, 5d to 6d; New Zealand, to 6d.

Bacon.—Unimproved. Hand-cured Southern, 6d to 6½d per lb.; machine-cured, 4d to 5d; heavy and rough, from 3d.; colonial hams, 6d to 8d; New Zealand bacon, 7d to 9d; hams, 9d to 11d.

Lard.—Finely rendered, in bladders, slow of sale, at 4d per lb.; in bulk, from 3d.

Honey.—Good and clear worth 5d to 5½d per lb.; other classes from 2½d.

Eggs.—Additions to stocks received principally from the Northern rivers this morning. Selling at 9d per dozen. Those forward by rail realised:—Hen eggs, 9½d to 11d; duck, 1s to 1s 2d.

Poultry.—An active inquiry exists, especially for good lots. Fowls, 3s to 4s per pair; ducks, 3s 3d to 4s 6d; geese, 5s to 7s 6d; turkeys, 6s to 10s. By auction this afternoon there was strong competition at 3s to 5s 9d for fowls; Ducks, 4s to 6s 6d; geese, 6s to 8s; cock turkeys, 8s 6d to 16s 6d; hen turkeys, 6s to 8s 6d.

Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, report having submitted by auction and privately, yesterday—Shoalhaven maize, at 3s 7d; oats, 2s 2d to 2s 3d.

Meat.—The Riverstone Meat Company report sales of 60 bodies of beef at 1½d to 2½d per lb., 550 mutton at 1¼d to 1½d. Mr. H. M'Namara, of the Metropolitan Meat Market, reports having sold bodies of beef at 1½d to 2d, mutton at 1½d to 1½d, lambs in carcase 5s to 8s 6d. The retail prices are—Joints of beef, 3d to 5d per lb.; joints of mutton, 2d to 3d; veal, 5d to 6d; pork, 6d to 7d; corn beef, 4d. William Inglis and Son report selling by auction at the Darling Harbour Dead Meat Market, 370 quarters beef, 1½d to 2½d per lb.

Fruit.—At George-street Markets the bulk of supplies were chiefly of Queensland and colonial varieties, but a moderate quantity of Tasmanian was also on hand. Business was rather quiet. Quotations range as follows:—Tasmanian apples, including eating and baking, 7s to 12s per case; colonial, 7s to 8s; Queensland pineapples, 6s per dozen, or 12s to 15s per case; Fiji bananas, 2s to 4s per bunch; oranges, 2s to 5s per case; mandarins, 6s to 9s; lemons, 4s to 6s; loquats, to 20s; passion fruit, 4d to 6d per dozen; coconnuts, 2s per dozen, or 7s to 8s per bag.

Provisions.—Retail values: Bread, 2½d to 3d for 2lb. loaf. Best butter, in keg, 1s 5d; factory made, to 1s 7d; cheese, 5d to 1s; bacon, 6d to 10d; lard, 6d to 7d; honey, 6d to 8d; eggs, 10d to 1s 2d.

Coal.—Newcastle household, 24s per ton; small, 15s; best mountain, 20s; small, 13s 6d.

The following is a return of produce received coastwise for the week ended August 31:—

—	—	N.S. Wales	Q'nsland.	Victoria.	New Z'land	South Aus.	Tasmania	Total.
Wool	bls.	251	119	...	...	...	...	370
Tallow	cks.	56	77	...	...	...	...	133
Hides	No.	2,279	1,395	...	50	...	...	3,684
Horns	bgs	23	11	...	...	...	...	34
Bones	bgs.	38	59	...	...	...	...	97
Hay	bls.	1381	...	118	...	...	...	1,499
Chaff	bgs.	...	...	3,788	179	6,301	...	10,268
Flour	bgs.	...	...	3,910	10	2,310	...	6,230
Bran	bgs.	...	...	100	1240	12	...	1,352
Pollard	bgs.	...	...	...	124	...	...	124
Maize	bgs.	7,124	...	...	916	...	...	8,040
Oats	bgs.	...	...	93	11,141	...	...	11,234
Barley	bgs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheat	bgs.	...	...	303	...	...	...	303
Potatoes	bgs.	537	...	...	...	...	11,995	12,532
Onions	bgs.	...	...	1,379	...	...	...	1,379
Butter	kgs.	633	...	55	16	...	...	704
Cheese	No.	3,323	...	...	...	...	...	3,323
	case	...	...	...	7	...	...	7
Bacon	bgs.	83	...	...	...	...	...	83
	case	7	...	...	3	...	...	10
Honey	pks.	...	...	15	...	...	...	15
Lard	pks.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas	bgs.	...	...	...	10	...	...	10
Eggs	case	450	...	...	...	...	...	450
Poultry	cps.	83	...	...	...	...	...	83
Straw	bdls	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugar	bgs.	244	5,022	...	...	...	...	5,266
	mts	1,521	5,504	...	...	...	...	7,025
	pkts	472	...	...	...	...	...	472
	pkg	..	2,537	...	..	...	...	2,537

Return of produce exported coastwise for the same period:—

—	—	Q'nsland.	Victoria.	New Z'land	South Aus.	Tasmania	Total.
Wool	bales..	...	511	...	...	...	511
Hides	No.	...	450	...	...	100	550
Hay	bales..	40	...	...	...	...	40
Chaff	bags..	1,927	...	...	...	...	1,927
Flour	bags..	1,800	...	...	...	...	1,800
Bran	bags..	674	...	...	...	...	674
Pollard	bags..	260	...	...	...	...	260
Maize	bags..	2,861	...	...	...	...	2,861
Oats	bags..	212	...	...	...	...	212
Barley	bags..	50	...	...	...	...	50
Wheat	bags..	398	...	...	...	54	452
Potatoes	bags..	2,952	...	...	...	...	2,952
Onions	bags..	744	...	...	...	...	744
Butter	kegs..	253	...	...	20	...	273
Cheese	cases..	189	...	...	...	...	189
Bacon	pkgs..	15	...	...	...	...	15
Peas	bags..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugar	pkgs..	...	12,114	...	1,000	677	13,791

PROPERTY SALES.

Messrs. G. T. Clarke and Co., of North Shore, report the following sales in that locality during the week:—Land, French-street, Blue's Point, 50 x 82ft. 8in., £5 per foot; water frontage, Middle Harbour, being lots 6 and 7, sec. C, Paraween Estate, area 132 x 462, at £25 per annum ground rent; 23 allotments, Oaks Brick Estate, Military-road, title leasehold, realised from 18s to 8s per foot bonus, subject to a ground rent of £3 and £4 per lot; land at North Willoughby, forming part of the Lithgow Estate, and situate at the corner of Mowbray-road and High-street, area 8a. 2r. 29p., price £2200.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench report having sold, by auction and private contract, at their rooms, during the week, the following properties:—Chippendale: Terrace of five houses, Nos. 34 to 42, Levy-street, £1710—Mr. Richard Slee purchaser. Bexley Heights: Allotment No. 13, sec. 3, Ocean View Estate, having 60ft. frontage to Gladstone-street, £198—Mrs. Mary Ann Thompson. Glebe Point: Allotments Nos. 8, 9, and 10, Longville Estate subdivision, having 49ft. 6in. frontage to Francis-street, £148 10s—Mr. J. P. Walker. Newtown: Allotment No. 7, sec. 2, Roseware Estate, having 30ft. frontage to Pearle-street, £100 10s—Mr. J. Hinchcliffe. Waterloo South: Lot 29, sec. 5, Hollinshed's Paddock, having 30ft. frontage, £45—Mr. George Howard.

Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves report having sold by public auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—The A. S. N. Company's works, Pyrmont, including freehold and leasehold lands, plant, &c., for the sum of £55,000; also stock, estimated at about £9000; city land, Bent-street, as per plan, lot 1, 25 feet at £100 per foot, £2500; lot 2, 25 feet at £95 per foot, £2375—Mr. Boyle; Mosman's Bay, Silex Estate, lot 63, having 40 feet frontage to Gordon-street, £60—Mr. J. E. H. Hellawell; Leichhardt, Harbord Estate, section A, lot 7, having 25 feet frontage to Norton-street, £75—Mr. C. Hudson; Woodford West, on the Mountains, block of land, in area 2 roods 27 perches, fronting Bathurst-road, for £27—Mr. Broughton.

Messrs. Mills and Pile report having sold by auction and private contract, during the week, the following properties:—On account of the Government of New South Wales, 39 allotments in the Beecroft township, subdivision of the Field of Mars, £859 15s; 79 orchard blocks, £7586 15s; lots 36, 37, 38, sec. 10, Auburn township, £120—Mr. J. Hutson; lot 18, sec. 3, Parramatta South, £52 10s—Mr. William Walter; lot 1, Mount Pleasant Estate, Parramatta North, £45—Mr. T. Dalton; lot 20, sec. 2, Midlothian Estate, North Willoughby, £35 5s—Messrs. F. and G. Ridley; lot 12, sec. 1, £36—Mr. T. Hay; lot 13, sec. 1, £36—Mr. C. Rush. Total amount of sales, £8485 5s.

Messrs. Chapman and Lamb report having sold by private contract the following properties, viz.:—Surry Hills, property known as the Albion Mills, Ann-street, for £3500—Messrs. Boylson Bros., purchasers; Paddington, two private dwelling-houses in Glenmore-road, £2900—Mr. Buchanan; allotment, No. 219, sec. 1, Underwood Estate, £57 10s—Mr. W. Lipsett; Summer Hill, Dobroyd Estate, allotments 20 and 21, sec. C, £143 5s 6d—Mr. J. Shevritt; lot 22, sec. C. and lots 2 and 3, sec. B., £403 18s 2d—Mr. T. W. Keller; lots 5 and 6, sec. C, £194—Mr. Bonnor; lot 23, sec. C. £132—Mr. W. Hillier; lot 17, sec. B, £60 8s 4d—Mr. D. Musgrave; allotment 6, sec. B. Chapman-street, £145—Mr. J. Flood; Croydon, lot 15 of Sandy's Paddock, 50ft. frontage to Church-street, £225—Mr. A. L. Elphinstone; Newtown, cottage, Fitzroy-street, £700—Mr. E. J. H. Broad; Auburn (in conjunction with Messrs. Mills and Pile), lots 13 and 14, sec. 2, of Auburn Township, £264—Mr. T. Tate; Smithfield, property known as Cook's Orchard, £1250—Mr. J. A. M'Lean; Ashfield, Cromwell Cottage, Milton-street, £480—Mr. J. B. Mason. Total sales, £10,450 2s 2d.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The following quotations were received in the Mining Market up to 1 o'clock yesterday:—Burwood Coal, 22s.; Wallsend Coal, £45; Waratah Coal, 13¼.; West Wallsend Coal, 13s. 6d.; Wickham and Bullock Island Coal, 13s. 9d.; Broken Hill Silver, No. 14 Block Company, £8; South (paid up), 15s. 6d.; Centrals (paid up), 17s.; Sunny Corner Silver, 7s. 3d.; Egerton Gold, 25s. 6d.; Hustler's Tribute Gold, 23s. 6d. The afternoon sales were:—Burwood Coal, 22s. 6d; Broken Hill Silver, No. 14 Block Company, 8¼; Broken Hill South Silver (paid up), 14s. 6d., 14s. 3d.; Sunny Corner Silver, 7s. 6d.

Subjoined are the latest quotations:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Bulli Coal ...	7¼	—	Ditto, Block 14	8¼	8¼
Burwood ...	22 6	23/	Ditto, South, 20s paid ...	14/	15
Newcastle ...	—	—	Ditto, 13s paid	9/6	10 3
Stockton ...	—	35/	Webbs (call p.)	—	15/
New issue ...	32/6	—	Central Broken Hill, 20s paid	16/9	17/3
Vale of Clwydd	20/	22/	Ditto, 13s 6d pd	11/9	12/3
Wallsend ...	44	46	Broken Hill Junction ...	26/	27/
Waratah ...	13¼	14¼	Day Dream ...	—	7/
Wickham and Bullock Isl'd	13/6	14/	Round Hills ...	—	60/
Ditto, preferential, 5s paid...	6/	—	Pinnacle Group	6/	10/
Katoomba ...	—	17/	Band & Albion	66/	68/
West Wallsend, 20s paid ...	12/9	13/9	Broken Hill N.	10/6	11/9
Ditto, 11s paid	5/	6/	Ravenswood ...	—	—
Hetton ...	5	5¼	Victory ...	—	17/6
Great Cobar Copper ...	—	4/	New Reform, Lucknow ...	6/	6 9
New Mt. Hope	3/	6/	Lankelly ...	—	6/9
Nymagee ...	5/	6/	Duke Timor ...	—	—
Sunny Corner	7/	7/3	Mount Morgan	—	6
Eveleen, 20s pd	—	5/9	Hustler's Trib.	—	—
Pinnacle T'bute	11/	14/	Gt. Extended Hustlers ...	—	—
Broken Hill ...	160	—			

The New South Wales Mining and Stock Exchange report the following quotations:—Transactions: Terrible Dick, £21; Ophir Deep Lead, paid up to £10, buyers £15, sellers £20; Lubra, sellers 6d.; Wesley, paid up to 20s., sellers 1s.; New Reform, paid up to 15s., sellers 7s.; Gold Hills, paid up to 7s., sellers 8s.; Terrible Dick, paid up to £19, sellers £21; Black Jack P. C. (C. Towers), sellers 31s.; Williams's Mt. Morgan, buyers £55, sellers £60; Hell Hole (Pro.), buyers £800, sellers £1200; Mount George (Tasmania), sellers 7s.; Sunny Corner, buyers 7s.; Eveleens, paid up to 20s., buyers 5s. 6d.

The hon. secretary of the Stock Exchange reports the crushing of the Band and Albion Gold Company, Ballarat, for the week, to have been 306 tons stone for a yield of 182oz. gold.

Messrs. N. S. Cohen and Co. report having sold six shares in the Terrible Dick Silver-mining Company, Silverton, at £21 per share.

Mr. Corbett Lawson, mining warden at Bingera, has telegraphed as follows to the Under-Secretary for Mines:—"Stanniferous country discovered near Gragin, Wash-dirt reported about 2 feet deep and 14 feet wide. Prospects good. Fine stream tin, parish Gunnee, out of Peel and Uralla districts."

Mining Registrar Connolly, of Bingera, reports to the Mines Department as follows:—"Bingera, August 31. I do myself the honour to report that I visited the new tin mines on Gragin run, parish of Myalla, county of Burnett, about 13 miles from Warialda, and found two men working there on a basaltic hill, or spur, running into Reedy Creek, about one and a half mile from Gragin Station homestead, in a S.W. direction. They had three small drives in the face, and about 2ft. of wash, which appeared to be dipping into the hill. As far as I could judge, it is very good. I washed three dishes and got 2lb. of tin out of them. The stuff is nicely washed, and there is abundance of water close at hand. Formation, granite. All untried country, and likely to be a good field."

Mr. W. A. Hillis, of Marrickville, writes in emphatic denial of a statement that he purposed to forward 25 tons of tin ... mouth to England. He states, "It is well known to metallurgists that such a consignment would utterly swamp the market, the demand for this metal being very limited. Such an announcement of an intention on my part might cause considerable dismay to the shippers of the metal."

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

New Carrington Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, Goulburn, August 31.—A most important step has been taken by the directors, who have secured a 40a. lease, adjoining the company's 80a., for the purpose of erecting upon it the smelting plant and forming dam. This ground contains an immense natural basin, which a few days' work will form into a dam. It is the bed of a creek, and an exhaustless supply of water is therefore ensured. This is the site referred to by Messrs. Cox and Seaver in their report on the mine, and recommended by them from its natural advantages. There are lodes outcropping on this lease, but they have not yet been prospected. The working manager reports that he is constructing a tramway from mouth of No. 1 shaft, for the purpose of enabling him to class the ore, and take it clear of the workings as it is raised. He expects to complete it this week and start work in the shaft next. The ground on the second lease has also been opened up on the course of the lode, and a shaft is being sunk, which, it is hoped, will prove worthy of notice, judging from present indications. The contractors are preparing to start in No. 4 shaft with nine men on Monday next. They are on the ground now.

The mine manager of the Broken Hill South Silver Mine telegraphs that the main shaft is now down 60ft., and that the crosscut from No. 1 shaft has been extended 5ft.; change continues.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Broken Hill Proprietary, £160 15s., £164; South, 14s. 3d., 14s. 6d.; Pinnacle Tribute, 12s. 9d., 14s.; Band and Albion Consols, 69s., 70s.; Madame Berry, £12 5s., £13; Block 14, Broken Hill, £7 14s. 6d., £8 15s.; Broken Hill Junction, 26s., 26s. 6d.; ditto North, 10s. 10½d., 11s. 3d.; Day Stream, 5s. 9d.; Pinnacle Group, 9s. 6d.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

A telegram was received at Rockhampton, from the manager of the Mount Morgan mine to-day, stating that the lode had been cut in the Freehold Tunnel over 600ft. from the outlet, and 300ft. from the summit of the mountain. The stone assays 6oz. 10dwt. 16gr. of gold per ton. They had previously gone through a lode 70ft. thick showing good stone, in the same tunnel. This latest discovery considerably enhances the value of the South Mount Morgan claim, showing that a good lode exists in Mount Morgan at a great depth.

A reef, carrying exceeding rich gold, has been struck in the Stockman's claim, on 24 men's ground, at Eidsvold.

BROKEN HILL, FRIDAY.

The following is the week's yield at the Broken Hill mine:—Ore treated, 1224 tons; bullion, 332¾ tons; silver, 32,890oz. The mine is looking exceptionally well, and a very great improvement may be looked for in the next week's yield, as the high-grade ore, which is being broken from Jamieson's and M'Culloch's, is being taken direct to the furnace. In block 14 they have commenced to work in the tunnel on the boundary of the Proprietary, and have found massive carbonate of lead ore at a depth of 150ft. from the surface. The ore shows chlorides. Chlorides have also been found in the prospecting tunnel on block 15 at a depth of 40ft. from the surface. The lode here consists of massive lead ore. The Broken Hill properties are reported by competent authorities to have never had so good an appearance, and sales were made locally yesterday at £166. Block 14 have sold to-day to £8 5s. The diamond drill on the Black Company's ground (Logan and Downie's lease) is down 30 feet. Broken Hill North have sunk the shaft to 140 feet, and timbered it to 100 feet. The Pinnacles will probably start their new contentrating machinery on Monday, and active mining operations will be pushed on under Mr. Lewis's management. Latest reports from the fields are highly favourable. The rush to Wankaroo paddock continues.

MOUNT VICTORIA, FRIDAY.

At the Hartley Liddleton silvermine the footwall was pierced, and disclosed a blue quartzite vein, showing 14 inches of rich mineral. Samples will be sent to Sydney for assay. The prospects in gold are encouraging.

THE CIVIL SERVICE SUPERANNUATION ACCOUNT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The *Herald* of Saturday last contains a report of a meeting of Civil servants chiefly connected with the Railway Department, who are anxious to have embodied in a bill to amend the Civil Service Act the substance of certain resolutions passed at that meeting.

In proceeding to offer some remarks on those resolutions, I beg to say that I do so with perfect good feeling towards the gentlemen concerned in the meeting, and with an earnest desire, for the common good, to assist in bringing about the nearest practicable co-operation on the part of all those who regard the superannuation system of the Civil Service Act from different points of view.

I would point out, however, that such part of these proposals as appear to me to be equitable and practicable were long since submitted for the consideration of the Government by the Civil Service Board, namely, that in case of the death of an officer, his contributions should be refunded to those dependent upon him; or, in the event of an officer resigning his position, that he be entitled to a refund of his contributions. Also, that all persons employed by the Government on regular wages should contribute to the superannuation account.

Unfortunately, some of the resolutions contain proposals which, I am inclined to think, have not been well considered.

In the first place, the success of the superannuation account can only be assured by so fostering it for the first decade of its existence, as to render it a perfectly stable fund with an income in the shape of interest on investment which will show a progressive increase, proportionate to the increased claims for pensions and retiring allowances, which will be augmented in each succeeding year. It must be borne in mind that officers who obtain gratuities receive but one payment from the fund, and their claims are at once satisfied; but those who receive pensions continue to draw them year after year, and each succeeding year shows an ever swelling stream of money flowing out from the fund. The influx from contributions and interest must be commensurate with the outgoings, or the central reservoir, the superannuation account, will run dry.

At present the funds are accumulating rapidly, because special provisions have been made for their protection, and special circumstances have relieved them of severe strain. It is just at such a time as this that we should husband our resources, and see that inconsiderate hands are debarred from opening too wide the sluice gates of our reservoir; but if the young and thoughtless are to throw aside restrictions and make channels of outflow, which men whose ideas should have more weight, by reason of their great experience and acquaintance with such subjects, consider would endanger the very existence of the fund, it will be only a just retribution if, when their time to draw comes, they find the well dry—the exchequer empty.

It is one thing to propose a refund of an officer's contributions in case of his death, and quite another matter to say that his widow shall have a gratuity equal to six months' pay.

Say that the fund has been three years in existence, and take the case of an officer in receipt of £300 per annum. He has paid £36 to the fund, but his widow is to draw £150 from it. A very good investment for the widow, but bad for the future prospects of the young man who made the proposal. By-and-bye he will want his pension, and will scarcely feel satisfied to take a composition of 5s. in the £ because, in his present resolution, he forgot "to be just before being generous."

Allow me to point out that the superannuation account is neither a widows' fund nor a life assurance, and that the 4 per cent. deduction is specifically to provide funds for the support of the officer himself, and not (directly) for those dependent upon him. To go beyond this, it would be necessary to increase the deduction to a much higher percentage.

By all means do away with the "necessitous circumstances" clause in relation to widows, and place all on the same footing by giving back to them the contributions of their deceased husbands, but wait awhile and see how the funds will bear further drain, before imperilling the superannuation account by letting it trickle away in tiny streams which do not run in the legitimate channel.

And now, as regards a refund to officers resigning or leaving the service without pension or gratuity. I am clearly of opinion that their contributions should be dealt with on an equitable basis, but here the fund must be considered as well as the officer. From the moment an officer commences to pay into the fund, the fund is liable to certain risks. It must be ready to pay him a gratuity or a pension under any of the following conditions,—viz., Abolition of office; dispensing with services for retrenchment purposes; permanent illness; mental aberration; or on attainment of the age of (60) sixty years.

A refund of the total contributions would therefore not be fair to the fund, but the question might be dealt with as some insurance companies deal with their policy holders, and a surrender value be fixed on as the basis of a refund. Suppose an officer has paid £100 in deductions from salary—refund him £90 and let £10 go to the fund as a *quid pro quo* for the risks covered during his time of service. No one could grumble at this, for the risks covered by the superannuation account are more varied and extensive than those for which a life policy is liable. As the mover of the resolution says that "they are only asking for what is right and fair," perhaps it may be seen by him that his proposal was not so fair as it at first appeared.

I am glad that the fallacy of allowing an option in reference to contribution to the fund appears so self-evident to those who attended the meeting; but why have any exceptions to the rule? A man at 25 years of age is as liable to accident, sickness, and other matters provided for in the superannuation clauses as a man of 40; and the friends of the one will press for monetary aid as much in the one case as the other. The 57th section should have no place in any new measure.

The last resolution is a plausible and specious one. In life assurance a man makes provision for those who survive him, but not for the contingency of extreme old age, or the other matters already shown, as covered by the superannuation scheme. Of what use is a life assurance policy to a man thrown out of employment, or to an incurable invalid, or one in other ways incapacitated from duty. The assurance policy is paid over either at a given age, or when a man is dead and buried; the superannuation account is intended to tide over a difficulty, or supply a man's needs during his lifetime. I am, &c.,

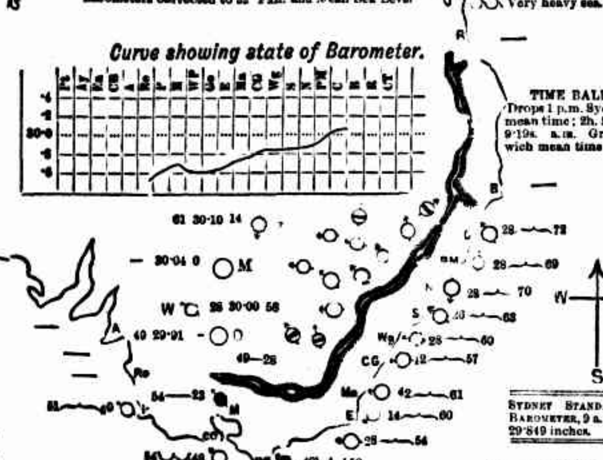
A CONTRIBUTOR.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1887.

Stations.	wt	Mx.	Mn.	Rn.
Albury	a	70	48	0·65
Armidale	a	65	56	0
Balranald	b	68	35	0
Bathurst	b	70	44	0·10
Bendem'r	b	68	54	0
Bodalla	b	72	53	0·04
Bourke	b	84	64	0
Buncarra	g	—	38	0
C'md'n H.	b	78	61	0
C. St. Geo.	b	70	54	0
Carcoar	b	62	36	0
Casino	b	84	64	0
Cassilis	b	68	50	0
Clarence	b	86	64	0
C'nd'b'lin	b	78	51	0·03
Cooma	g	66	40	0
Coonab'a.	b	74	55	0
Cowra	b	73	48	0·02
Cudg'llico	b	80	46	0
Deniliq'n.	b	74	38	0·50
Dubbo	b	74	50	0·01
Eden	b	65	52	0·13
Euston	b	79	36	0·07
Forbes	b	—	45	0
G'bo Isl'nd	b	65	52	0·14
Glen Inn's	g	70	58	0
Goulburn	b	69	41	0·45
Grafton	b	84	58	0
Gulgong	b	70	43	0
Gunned'h	c	74	45	0
Hay	b	—	—	0·40
Inverell	c	70	56	0
Kiandra	a	48	31	1·22
Lismore	b	84	61	0
Maitland	b	74	54	0
M'n'ng H.	b	74	54	0
Marsdens	b	71	52	0·01
Menindie	b	80	49	0
Molong	b	57	44	0·15
M'r'ng'r'll	b	72	49	0·61
Moree	b	78	58	0
Moruya	b	75	54	0·02
Moss Vale	b	64	45	0·11
Mt. Hope	b	81	49	0
M. Vi t'ria	b	63	41	0·05
Mudgee	b	70	47	0·01
M rr'mb'h	b	68	56	0·55
M'rr'r'ndi	c	68	58	0
Mus'lbr'k	b	72	57	0
Narrabri	g	70	56	0
Newcastle	b	75	61	0
Orange	b	62	43	0·18
Picton	b	70	41	0·05
P. M'q'rie	b	74	57	0
P. St'ph'n	b	72	57	0
Q'nbeyan	c	53	32	0
Quirindi	c	79	57	0
Singleton	b	70	63	0
Sydney	b	63	60	0·01
Taralga	b	62	44	0·45
Taree	b	80	68	0
T'nt'rfield	g	70	54	0·12
Wagga	b	65	39	0·29
Walcha	b	64	47	0
Walgett	b	77	60	0
Warialda	b	77	60	0
Warrah	b	72	56	0
W'ntw'rth	b	74	43	0
W'll'ng'ng	b	76	60	0
Young	b	72	41	0·66

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.
LATITUDE 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·81s. E.
MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 37" E.
Average Annual Rainfall for 28 years .... 49·489
Average for 29 years from Jan. 1 to Aug. 31 1887 .. 38·195
Total Rainfall from Jan. 1, to Sth.. 2 1887 ...... 46·465
Barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level

Fine, wind N. Cloudy wind E. T. storm, wind S. Rain, wind W. If it is CALM, the symbol used without the arrow. Smooth sea. Heavy sea. Very heavy sea.



H. C. RUSSELL
GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER

NOTES EXPLANATORY OF MAP.

In the list of stations the column headed W.T. gives the state of the weather at 9 a.m., b standing for blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; n, frosty; o, overcast; p, passing showers; r, rain; s, snow; t, thunder; u, threatening. The next column, Mx gives the maximum temperature for previous 24 hours. Mn the corresponding minimum temperature. Rn, the rain for the previous 24 hours. The symbols used in the map are explained on the margin. At each coast station the wind symbol is placed like a vane pointing to the direction from which the wind is coming. A clear circle with it means fine weather; a circle with bar, cloudy weather; and a black spot, raining. Next to this symbol are placed figures denoting the number of miles the wind is moving per hour; next, a symbol showing the state of the sea; and, lastly, figures denoting the shade temperature at 9 a.m. The barometer curve shows the state of barometers round the coast from Perth to Cooktown: Pt, Perth; Ay, Albany; Ea, Eucla; Cb, Cape Borda; A, Adelaide; Ro, Robe; P, Portland; M, Melbourne; W P, Wilson's Promontory; Go, Gabo; E, Eden; Ma, Moruya; C G Jervis Bay; Wg, Wollongong; S, Sydney; N, Newcastle; P M, Port Macquarie; C, Clarence River; B, Brisbane; R, Rockhampton; Ct, Cooktown. Inland the state of barometer is given in figures at Albury, Deniliquin, Wentworth, Menindie, Bourke, and Alice Springs. The barometer curve enables one at a glance to trace the depressions, beginning with Western Australia, and passing along eastwards; northerly winds preceding them, and southerly following.

The rainfall on Sundays or holidays, when this map is not published, is in all cases included in the quantities shown by the next following map.

9 A.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Victoria.—Squally weather, with showers in S.E. parts; strong north-westerly winds; fierce squalls in the Straits; moderate to rough sea. Rainfall generally from 0·08 to 0·98 inch the heaviest being at Omeo. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Echuca, 29·85; Wilson's Promontory, 29·58; Horsham, 54°; and Omeo, 46°.

Tasmania.—Unsettled, with showers in S.E. parts; strong squally north to north-west winds; moderate to rough sea. Rainfall from 0·17 to 0·48 inch. Extremes of barometer and temperature: Low Heads, 29·43; Hobart, 29·16 and 46°; Falmouth, 52°.

New Zealand.—Generally squally, with showers in Cook Strait; north to north-west winds. Barometers: In north, 30·30; over centre, 29·80; in south, 29·60.

New South Wales.—Generally fine, with clouds on the mountains in extreme north and south parts; stormy at Albury, snowing at Kiandra. In the eastern division of the colony the winds are generally fresh to strong and squally from N. W. to W.; in west parts light to fresh W. to S. winds and calms prevail. During the previous 24 hours light rain fell generally over the southern half of the colony, heaviest at Kiandra. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Walgett, 30·10; Gabo Island, 29·70; Clarence, 72°; and Cooma, 40°. For further particulars see map.)

Queensland.—Generally more or less cloudy and unsettled, with light variable winds and calms, smooth sea. Reports incomplete. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Townsville, 30·15; Normanton, 30·14, and 77°; Roma, 69°.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

New South Wales.—Eden, W., 28, fine, light E. sea, temperature 65°; Moruya, N.W., 42, fine, smooth sea, temperature 62°; Cape St. George, W., 56, fine, smooth sea, temperature 61°; Sydney, W., 17, fine, clear, warm, and squally, smooth sea, temperature 69°; Newcastle, W., 14, fine, smooth sea, temperature 73°; Port Macquarie, calm, fine, smooth sea, temperature 80°; Clarence River, N.W., 42, fine, smooth sea, temperature 83°; Walgett, calm, fine, temperature 71°; Dubbo, N., 14, fine, temperature 65°; Goulburn, N.W., 14, fine.

Victoria.—Portland, N.N.W., 48, cloudy, smooth sea, temperature 59°; Cape Otway, N.N.W., 40, cloudy and squally, rough sea, temperature 56°; Melbourne, N., 23, fine and squally, temperature 59°; Omeo, N., 34, fine, but cloudy, temperature 52°; Cape Schanck, W., 34, overcast and threatening, rough sea, temperature 56°; Wilson's Promontory, N.W., 34, fierce squalls, rough sea, temperature 57°; Lakes Entrance, N.W., 23, fine and squally, temperature 62°.

Queensland.—Townsville, S.E., 13, fine and clear, smooth sea, temperature 73°; Boulia, N.W., 13, fine and warm; Blackall, S., hazy and warm; Rockhampton, N.N.E., 13, fine, but cloudy, temperature 80°; Roma, N.E., 8, fine, temperature 84°; Cape Moreton, N., 28, fine, temperature 72°; Brisbane, N.E., 13, fine, temperature 76°; Thargomindah, N.W., fine.

HEIGHT OF RIVERS ABOVE SUMMER LEVEL.

Macintyre: At Yetman (rising), 12ft.; at Mungindi (falling), 11ft. 6in. Barwon: At Mogil Mogil, (falling), 17ft. 6in.; at Walgett (rising), 35ft. Namoi: At Walgett (rising), 29ft. Culgoa: At Goodooga (falling), 8ft. 5in. Darling: At Brewarrina (rising), 18ft.; at Bourke (rising), 23ft. 1in.; at Louth (rising), 17ft. 6in.; at Tilpa (rising), 22ft.; at Wilcannia (stationary), 24ft.; at Menindie, 23ft. 9in.; at Pooncarie 21ft. 6in.; at Wentworth, 19ft. 5in. Murrumbidgee: At Wagga, 11ft. 6in.; at Hay rising), 16ft. 9in.; at Balranald, 16ft. 7in. Murray: At Albury, 10ft.; at Euston, 22ft. 5in.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR SEPTEMBER 3.

Sun rises at 6.17, sets at 5.42; Moon, 6.38 p.m., 6.81 a.m.; Mercury, 6.9 a.m., 5.6 p.m.; Venus, 7.1 a.m., 7.54 p.m.; Mars, 4.35 a.m., 2.43 p.m.; Jupiter, 8.46 a.m., 9.53 p.m.; Saturn, 4.21 a.m., 2.31 p.m. Full moon, September 2; new moon, September 18.

High water at Fort Denison September 3: 8.44 a.m., 9.1 p.m.

H. A. LENEHAN,
Acting Government Astronomer.

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL.

The following information, taken from the daily returns prepared at the Government Observatory, Sydney, shows the maximum and minimum temperature and total rainfall during the past week at the stations specified; also, total rainfall from Jan. 1:—

August, 1887. Stations.	Maximum and Minimum Temperature. Thur. 25th.		Fri. 26th.		Sat. 27th.		Mon. 29th.		Tues. 30th.		Rainfall. For w'k	Fr'm Jan. 1
Albury	70	43	70	44	71	46	63	49	65	49	1·12	30·75
Armidale	60	40	61	38	61	41	61	42	62	50	0·32	30·65
Balranald	79	38	85	46	88	43	86	44	75	55	0·58	12·15
Bathurst	62	34	68	36	67	41	60	44	59	39	0·71	21·21
Bendemeer	62	38	63	37	[illegible]	33	56	47	56	49	0·51	25·58
Bodalla	61	49	63	46	64	44	63	43	—	—	0·11	32·05
Bourke	82	51	90	55	73	60	80	50	75	54	0·19	15·97
Bundarra	—	41	66	51	—	21	—	21	69	21	0	19·69
Camden Haven	70	51	69	54	69	56	64	55	66	56	0·07	70·07
Cape St. George	64	50	68	49	66	57	66	51	61	50	0·30	34·21
Carcoar	52	37	55	36	60	38	57	36	57	38	1·18	28·52
Casino	76	47	71	47	74	48	75	56	78	49	0·46	54·62
Cassilis	61	44	60	47	63	43	56	46	61	52	0·58	25·21
Clarence	75	54	76	54	75	54	71	54	75	56	0·47	61·67
Condobolin	71	48	75	53	75	59	75	52	75	45	0·06	21·83
Cooma	66	34	70	30	[illegible]	[illegible]	60	41	60	39	0·21	15·94
Coonabarabran	74	40	74	37	73	46	56	50	68	45	1·07	33·14
Cowra	70	44	73	41	68	49	66	48	68	42	0·30	26·94
Cudgellico	72	48	72	51	73	51	62	50	72	43	0·70	17·58
Deniliquin	79	36	90	42	84	50	86	55	71	37	0·30	13·41
Dubbo	75	39	75	44	73	45	56	47	68	43	0·83	21·45
Eden	65	46	63	47	62	50	60	50	65	50	0·24	22·09
Euston	80	49	84	54	73	54	73	41	73	39	0·29	10·98
Forbes	—	44	—	46	—	45	—	48	—	45	0·47	21·91
Gabo Island	69	50	69	56	65	55	[illegible]	51	58	51	0·59	—
Glen Innes	63	43	67	46	62	47	58	50	55	47	0·40	24·18
Goulburn	65	38	65	35	69	38	58	40	58	43	0·40	19·94
Grafton	70	49	74	50	71	61	73	56	78	59	0·68	45·70
Gulgong	58	33	60	38	65	40	58	45	60	42	1·80	26·62
Gunnedah	71	52	69	47	69	48	70	47	69	54	0·96	26·26
Hay	76	51	77	50	75	55	73	48	63	41	0·23	14·42
Inverell	68	42	66	49	66	39	41	37	65	51	1·06	28·92
Kiandra	65	32	39	28	63	33	47	34	41	31	1·77	38·44
Lismore	76	50	72	51	70	52	76	52	80	56	1·39	59·01
Maitland	72	50	66	47	66	50	69	49	61	51	0·77	32·21
Manning Heads	67	49	68	49	68	52	71	52	67	50	0·11	—
Marsdens	70	46	71	49	71	52	61	53	67	49	0·48	20·08
Menindie	77	48	79	59	69	57	—	—	65	48	0·62	10·81
Molong	56	35	56	35	54	33	46	36	51	36	0·83	28·86
Morangorell	64	48	71	42	70	55	67	48	66	41	0·27	23·54
Moree	83	49	82	47	78	51	62	48	75	42	0·04	22·14
Moruya	64	48	66	44	66	48	69	53	61	50	0·34	29·34
Moss Vale	59	47	59	46	61	49	57	45	56	46	1·06	28·91
Mt. Hope	80	52	73	53	74	54	74	54	73	49	0·70	25·64
Mt. Victoria	59	37	56	38	54	39	58	39	59	39	0·40	31·75
Mudgee	72	38	72	36	76	41	63	42	67	43	1·64	23·04
Murrumburrah	69	36	76	37	73	60	71	41	60	49	0·70	27·44
Murrurundi	59	43	61	45	63	49	61	40	62	54	0·50	37·05
Muswellbrook	66	45	62	47	62	42	61	47	69	51	0·51	25·17
Narrabri	75	45	72	46	75	55	70	45	75	57	0·18	19·60
Newcastle	66	49	60	49	66	51	64	51	67	55	0·50	44·60
Orange	57	35	58	41	59	45	51	39	56	42	[illegible]	30·71
Picton	66	42	64	43	66	45	59	45	63	47	1·07	30·58
Port Macquarie	67	47	68	48	68	54	69	54	63	54	0·06	61·40
Port Stephens	63	43	62	50	67	51	69	49	63	51	0·44	62·44
Queanbeyan	60	39	[illegible]	42	60	39	60	39	57	31	1·04	26·60
Quirindi	76	45	78	47	76	52	68	52	66	53	0·30	26·10
Singleton	68	53	62	50	65	50	68	53	60	50	0·41	32·23
Sydney	64	50	64	49	62	51	59	51	61	54	1·10	45·59
Taralga	73	40	69	39	65	41	60	38	59	44	0·37	30·42
Taree	72	52	71	47	72	48	78	55	71	57	1·25	60·02
Tenterfield	70	41	69	40	70	39	69	35	68	45	0·40	33·16
Wagga	69	35	73	38	75	49	63	45	61	40	0·25	23·22
Walcha	62	37	61	32	60	32	65	36	59	43	0·60	27·32
Warialda	72	49	71	53	72	37	67	54	70	54	0·06	16·40
Walgett	68	—	75	55	70	45	65	42	67	50	0·50	8·65
Warrah	78	44	77	40	75	49	63	45	73	50	0·04	—
Wentworth	84	54	79	59	67	57	—	—	65	48	0·49	8·91
Wollongong	66	47	71	47	70	48	60	50	60	44	0·53	39·26
Young	66	40	64	36	76	40	60	45	73	45	0·55	23·47

No Telegrams: Bodalla, August 30; Menindie, August 29; Wentworth, August 29.

MEAN RIVER HEIGHTS FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 31.

River.	Locality.	Above Summer Level.
Murrumbidgee	Wagga	9 feet 5 inches
Murrumbidgee	Hay	15 feet 0 inch
Murrumbidgee	Balranald	16 feet 6 inches
Murray	Albury	7 feet 5 inches
Murray	Euston	21 feet 7 inches
Darling	Wentworth	19 feet 0 inch
Darling	Pooncarie	20 feet 6 inches
Darling	Menindie	23 feet 1 inch
Darling	Wilcannia	26 feet 11 inches
Darling	Bourke	18 feet 9 inches

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First-class PHOTOGRAPHIC BUSINESS in Invercargill, having a monopoly of a very superior and profitable trade. Exceedingly healthy climate, large district, plant (all new instruments), household furniture, goodwill, and lease of premises at nominal rent in one lot. To a good artist possessed of sufficient capital this is an offer rarely met with, urgent family reasons compelling owner to leave the colony.
Full particulars from
C. W. BROWN, Land and Estate Agent, Invercargill (N.Z.).

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FRUIT and Confectionery, grand stand, rent 21s, stock, fittings, &c., complete, £35. Leighton and Co., Phillip-st.

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NOTICE TO BOARDING-HOUSEKEEPERS.
BRADLEY and CO., 72, Pitt-street, have cash purchasers for BOARDING-HOUSES, city and suburbs.

TO Hairdressers and Tobacconists.—Leading Business, Parramatta, for Sale. Thompson and Forsyth, 53, S. Arc.

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FOR SALE, owing to ill-health, Watchmaker and Jewellery BUSINESS, in one of the best towns on the South Coast; good position, and well-assorted stock.
A good chance for a good tradesman.
Apply to T. W. BUTCHER, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney.

CHEMIST'S BUSINESS for SALE, in country, nominal rent, no opposition, good future prospects; price for the whole complete, £210 cash; suit energetic, single man who knows dentistry, photo., &c. ETHELL, 109, Pitt-street.

TO PHOTOGRAPHERS.—The proprietor of a first-class GALLERY in George-street wishes to dispose of same, including the very valuable modern plate negatives, show frames, fittings, furniture, &c.; price very low; rent, £4 per week.
For further particulars apply to
CHAPMAN and LAMB, House Agents, 127, King-street.

SPLENDID INVESTMENT.

An extensive Cash DRAPERY BUSINESS for SALE, situated in the very best position in the city. Commodious premises and shop; 90 feet deep. Rent, £9 per week. Lease, 5 years. Stock is new, and exceptionally well bought. Takings during present dull times, £12,000, and could, with present stock, be easily increased to £16,000. To any person seeking a really first-class business, this is an opportunity which seldom occurs. Very liberal terms will be given. Principals only dealt with.
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FOR SALE, Oil and Colour BUSINESS; good stand in good suburb; would go well with ironmongery. Apply
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GIBBS, 189, Pitt-street, offers all the HOTELS now selling, and is the recognised Broker between buyers and sellers; peremptory instructions under special and urgent circumstances received daily. Buyers with £250 upwards call.

GIBBS.—LIVERY STABLES, city; we guarantee a fortune; £300. See it.

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AN old-established LEMONADE and CORDIAL BUSINESS, in full swing, and doing a splendid trade, situate in a rising country town, convenient to Sydney. Price for the freehold, with residence, machinery, and plant complete, £1200, on terms; or for the goodwill and lease for 3 years, at £1 per week, £300; plant, &c., to be taken at valuation. Illness is the sole cause of sale. Address
W. JACKSON, 245, Elizabeth-street.

HOTELS.—Choice, city, suburban, and country leases and freeholds, bargains. C. Bate and Co., 191, Pitt-street.

SODAWATER and Cordial FACTORY for SALE, long established, and good turnover, terms; satisfactory reasons for selling; receipts and full instructions to make. Apply 20, Wilson-street, Newtown.

TO STOREKEEPERS.

The undersigned has General STORES in hand for SALE, all in full swing, in the following townships, viz.:—

Narrabri	Walgett	East Maitland	Cudal
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TAILORING BUSINESS, well established, first-class city stand; owner, desirous of leaving Sydney, will sell cheap. Business, Box 1160, G. P. O.

A SURE FORTUNE, A SURE FORTUNE.

For SALE, a BUTCHER'S SHOP, in a first-class position in the suburbs, and Dwelling; also a Butcher's Shop and Dwelling in country district, with slaughter-house and five acres of ground, all freehold; must be sold, as the owner is leaving the colony; no reasonable offer will be refused. Apply to
HENRY M'NAMARA, Metropolitan Meat Market, Hay-street, Darling Harbour.

DO you want a good HOTEL or BUSINESS? If so, send for our September Register (free). WOODIN and ROBBERDS, Brewery Agents and Business Valuers, Phœnix-chambers, 158, Pitt-street, near King-street.

BUSINESS AGENCY, 6, City-chambers, 243, Pitt-street, have Grocery, city, good stand, very cheap.

BUSINESS AGENCY.—Boarding-house, Darlinghurst, 10 rooms, rent 27s 6d, 6 boarders, elegantly furnished, cheap.

BUSINESS AGENCY.—Hotel and Store, country, doing £400 monthly, 5 years' lease, splendid position, £1400.

BUSINESS AGENCY.—Hotel and Boarding Establishment, country, pub. and priv. bars, 5 yrs., bargain, £900.

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PETERSHAM.—A good paying Fruit and Poultry BUSINESS, best stand in Petersham; stock, furniture, and fittings; a real bargain; satisfactory reasons forselling. GRAY and CO., agents, Palace-street, Petersham.

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Auction Sales.

NEAR LIVINGSTONE-ROAD, MARRICKVILLE.

Excellent 2-story HOUSE, in GEORGE-STREET, quite close to above, substantially built of brick, slate roof, having entrance porch at side, tiled verandah, balconies front and side, 6 rooms and bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.

LAND, 40ft. x 140ft.

A neat RESIDENCE, in a very pretty situation, a convenient walk from PETERSHAM STATION, and having good surroundings, as well as enjoying capital views.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

The above attractive dwelling, George-street, Marrickville, part of Dr. Nathan's superior subdivision. (1405)

On Account and Risk of the Former Purchaser.
WETHERILL PARK ESTATE, SMITHFIELD.

BLOCK No. 5, SECTION E, in area 5½ ACRES, having Frontages to Park-road and Daniel-street, on which is a Wooden Cottage of 2 Rooms, Lathed and Plastered.

The whole of the Land is Fenced, portion being laid out as Orchard and Orangery.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

The above property at Smithfield.

Terms at sale. (1399).

SUMMER HILL LAND.

Large, well-situated, and level BLOCK, lots 38 and 39, section 7, Underwood Estate, having 101 feet frontage to CARLTON-CRESCENT, depth 219½ feet on one side, and 235 feet on the other. It is enclosed with paling fence, and will be offered in 1 or 2 lots.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th September, at 11 o'clock,

The above capital building land, on the south side of the line, a little west of Lackey-street and Summer Hill station. Plan on view. Liberal terms. Torrens' Title. (1394)

RAILWAY FRONTAGE. BURWOOD.

Lots 8 and 9 of Deane's Paddock Subdivision, having each 33ft. frontage to Railway-terrace North, by a depth of 100ft.—a few minutes' walk from the Station, and near Sarah-street and the High Bridge—a capital site, elevated, and commanding excellent views.

TORRENS' TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above eligible site, Burwood. (1403)

HILL CREST ESTATE, CONCORD,
between Parramatta-road, Burwood, and Mortlake.

An elevated position and good Terrace Cottages, at the corner of FAIRVIEW and LUDGATE STREETS. Land, 140ft. to latter and 100ft. to former. The four (4) Cottages are well built of weatherboards, on brick foundations, having verandahs front and rear, hall, and 4 rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, the 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above 4 cottages, known as Mr. Buggey's, in a pleasant situation. (1397)

ON ACCOUNT OF THE MORTGAGEE.
WARREN ESTATE, MARRICKVILLE.

EXCELLENT COTTAGE, of brick, in Excelsior-parade, near corner Cary-street. It contains hall, verandahs, drawing-room (bay window), dining-room, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, washhouse; gas laid on; side entrance, &c. Land is part of lot 19 of section 5, 39½ft. frontage x 140ft.; a good position, on the heights nearly adjoining the mansion. TORRENS' TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, the 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

The above cottage, Warren Estate, Marrickville. (1400)

ASHFIELD,
on the North Side of the Railway Line.

MIKADO, a substantially-built COTTAGE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, at the Corner of FREDERICK and JOHN STREETS, a short distance North of Elizabeth-street.

The HOUSE is substantially built of brick on stone foundation, tiled verandah in front, and containing hall, drawing and dining rooms (connected by folding doors), 2 bedrooms, servant's room, bathroom, store-room, pantry, kitchen and washhouse, detached 2-stall stable, coachhouse, man's room, and harness room.

The LAND is a Corner Block, having Frontages of 108 feet to Frederick-street and 230 feet to John-street, with a width at rear of 167 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH (in conjunction with Messrs. Chapman and Lamb) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above delightfully-situated COTTAGE RESIDENCE in this rapidly advancing suburb of Ashfield.

INSPECTION INVITED. (1378)

COTTAGE RESIDENCES at ROOKWOOD,
on the Albert Park Estate, only 6 minutes' walk from station.

1st. Brick Cottage, erected on lot 21, sec. D, verandah front and rear, hall, 4 rooms and kitchen, underground tank. Land 44 feet frontage to Victoria-street (between Beatrice-street and Notting Hill-road), depth 142 feet.

2nd. Brick Cottage, on lot 11, sec. B, verandah front and rear, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, copper, and pantry; underground tank. Land 40 feet to Beatrice-street, depth 163 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction at the Rooms, FRIDAY, 9th September, at 11 o'clock.

The above neat and desirable dwellings on Albert Park, south of line, only 6 minutes from Rookwood station, and near Government Reserve. Plan on view. Title, Torrens' Act. KEYS can be obtained at Mr. I. Harris's, Albert Park Stores, Rookwood. (1411)

SPECULATION IN CITY LAND.

ONE-FORTIETH SHARE in all that valuable GEORGE-STREET FRONTAGE comprised in that exceptionally well-situated block of City Land—GEORGE-STREET NORTH; 560 feet thereto by varying good depths extending to a lane, dividing it from the former A. S. N. Company's Wharf, now resumed by THE GOVERNMENT of NEW SOUTH WALES.

A chance seldom offering, with a prospective great advantage in realisation.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
1-40th share in above valuable city land. (1413)

SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

1st. MACDONALDTOWN.—Block of Land, having 79½ feet frontage to Toogood-street (off Erskineville-road), depth 111 feet. On it are the following 4 dwellings, all of brick:—HOUSE, having verandah and balcony, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; TWO HOUSES (semi-detached), each verandah and balcony, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, pantry, and washhouse; COTTAGE, with verandah, 3 rooms, kitchen, and washshed; WORKSHOP of wood (this block is known as Mr. E. Simpson's).

2nd. MACDONALDTOWN.—Semi-detached House in Ashmore-street, Malcolm Estate, opposite the park, and convenient to Erskineville platform. It is built of brick, with verandah and balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse.

3rd. KOGARAH.—Lot 50, Section C, Kogarah Park, 66 feet to French-street, off east side of Rocky Point-road, handy to station; depth 188 feet, extending to lane at rear. Torren's.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, September 9, at 11 o'clock,

The above good Suburban Freeholds, full particulars of which will shortly be published. (1392.)

QUEEN-STREET, WOOLLAHRA.

Substantial and remarkably well-finished FREEHOLD RESIDENCE, No. 45, QUEEN-STREET, south side, a few feet from Eliza-street. It is of brick, cemented and painted, on stone foundation, verandah and balcony in front, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washshed, city water and gas.

Land, 16ft. 7in. frontage, depth up to 99ft., extending to James-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th September, at 11 o'clock,

The above very desirable and faithfully-built freehold dwelling in the main thoroughfare of popular Woollahra. The fittings are of cedar, hall and main rooms corniced, and the internal walls and ceilings painted. (1395)

FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
PARRAMATTA NORTH.

TWO HOUSES and BLOCK of LAND, fronting SORRELL and ISABELLA STREETS, and a LANE. They are substantially built of stone and brick, and contain each 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; good well in yard.

The LAND has 69 feet 11 inches frontage to Sorrell-street, 54 feet 9 inches frontage to Isabella-street, with depths of 209 feet and 151 feet 9 inches.

The Sorrell-street frontage is vacant, and available for building upon.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above property at Parramatta, a short distance east of Church-street, commanding extensive and pretty views.

Title, Torrens'. Terms at sale. (1379)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

LYNDHURST COLLEGE FREEHOLD ESTATE,
next
WENTWORTH PARK, GLEBE.

1st. Detached 3-story VILLA, on the west side of BELLEVUE-STREET, between Denham and Lyndhurst streets, overlooking the Park, and known as Mr. Law's residence. It is built of brick on stone, slate roof, has verandah and balcony, hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen with range and gas stove, washhouse with copper and tubs. City water and gas laid on. The land has 16½ feet frontage, with a depth of 90 feet, extending to a lane.

, A faithfully-built residence, overlooking Wentworth Park, and within easy walking distance of business centre.

2nd. ALLOTMENT, No. 3 Sec. 4, having 16½ feet to east side of DARLING-STREET, near Pyrmont Bridge-road, depth 88 feet, extending to lane.

3rd. TWO ALLOTMENTS, Nos. 12 and 13 of Sec. 2, each 16½ feet to Darling-street, depth 88 feet, extending through to Broughton-street, between Lyndhurst and Cardigan streets.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th September, at 11 o'clock,

The above attractive and charmingly-situated freehold residence and 3 building lots on Lyndhurst College Estate, Glebe.

A. ROFE, Esq., Elizabeth-street, is Solicitor of the Mortgagee. (1396.)

INSOLVENT ESTATE of MR. ROBERTS.
MIDDLE HARBOUR, near BANTRY BAY.

A delightfully situated COTTAGE and large BLOCK of LAND, in area 3 acres 28 perches, fronting MIDDLE HARBOUR, and extending back to a road adjoining the improved property of Professor GURNEY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the official assignee to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd September, at 11 o'clock,

The above property at MIDDLE HARBOUR, full particulars of which will appear in future issue.

INSPECTION INVITED. (1422.)

BOURKE-STREET, SURRY HILLS,
a favourite part, south of Fitzroy-street.

SOMERSET HOUSE, No. 456, massively built of stone, slate roof, having flagged verandah, and balcony, containing hall, 7 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, laundry, servant's room, fuel bin, &c.

THE LAND is double frontage, 34 feet to the east side of BOURKE-STREET, 32 7-12 feet to Marshall-street at rear, with long through depth of 158 feet. Marshal-street front is vacant, and back from it are stone buildings, let as two private houses, with wooden stabling. This portion could be profitably utilised for dwellings or a large factory or storeroom.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th September, at 11 o'clock,

The above Bourke-street FREEHOLD, recommended for inspection. It is a handy, pleasant, and central position in this well-letting and popular division of our city, near to town, Moore Park, and other places of recreation, &c.

INSPECTION invited. TERMS at sale. (1406)

IN THE ESTATE of the LATE WM. VIVERS, Esq.

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATRIX.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

THE CASHEL ESTATE,
in the NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT,

containing 640 acres of conditionally-purchased land (duly certificated), situated about 1½ miles from NULLAMANA, close to the main road from EMMAVILLE to INVERELL, from which latter town it is distant about 11 miles.

The whole of the land, which is of the richest description of volcanic chocolate soil, is elevated, undulating, and timbered with box and kurrajong, and the property is watered by a good dam, ample for all requirements.

The improvements include small homestead, garden, orchard, shed, &c. The whole of the land is securely enclosed, principally with 6 and 7 wire fences, and is subdivided into three paddocks—one, about 60 acres in extent, has been cleared and stumped, and is now under crop.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH (in conjunction with Pitt, Son, and Badgery) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 16th SEPTEMBER, 1887,
at 12 o'clock,

The above block of rich land, admirably adapted for a homestead or small residential estate. The growing crops are reserved by the Vendor, but may be taken by the purchaser at a valuation, to be arrived at in the usual way.

Terms very liberal, viz.:—One-fourth cash, balance by promissory notes at 2, 3, 4, and 5 years date, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per centum per annum, secured in the usual way.

Messrs. Stephen, Laurence, and Jaques, of Pitt-street, Sydney, are solicitors for the Estate.

Plan on view at the Rooms. (1391)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

SOUTH WATERLOO.

4 SHOPS and 11 COTTAGES, BOTANY-ROAD and COLLINS-STREET, south of the Public school.

The Land has 230 feet frontage to Botany-road, 100 feet to Collins-street, and 230 feet to a lane at the rear.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th September, at 11 o'clock.

The above corner property, at South Waterloo.

Full particulars in future issue.

TITLE, Leasehold, 24 years to run, at a ground rent of £66 6s per annum.

C. B. PITT, Esq., Solicitor for the Mortgagees (1423)

EXCELLENT CITY RESIDENCE.

Overlooking the Harbour, River, and picturesque suburbs.

KENT-STREET NORTH, No. 90.—An attractive three-storied House, exceptionally well built of brick on stone foundation, slate and shingle roof, having balconies front and rear, and containing hall, 8 rooms, bathroom, conservatory, kitchen, and washshed, side private entrance, gas and water laid on.

Really a well-built useful house, in a handy position, with splendid views of harbour, river, western suburbs, and distant ranges.

Between Crescent-street and Argyle-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th SEPTEMBER,
at 11 o'clock,

The above capital City Residence, Kent-street. (1410)

HARRINGTON-STREET, NEAR ARGYLE-STREET.

Well situated City ALLOTMENT, 33½ft. frontage by varying depth up to 59½ft. On it is a Cottage, No 5, Harrington-street. Seeing the nearness of this site to the Circular Quay—an active wharf, and to be presently improved by the Government—it will prove a good spot for a Boarding-house or Commercial Store.

Sale is under direction of Master in Lunacy.

Solicitors are Messrs. Ellis and Makinson, Elizabeth-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above land, Harrington-street. Terms, cash. (1428.)

CITY and SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

1. CITY—Corner Land, Cooper and Holt streets, a few yards east of Elizabeth-street South.
2. ST. LEONARDS—Two semi-detached new and substantial Brick HOUSES, Hayberry-street, corner of David-street, Holtermann's Estate, near Public School and Crow's Nest. In one or two lots. Torrens' Act. Terms.
3. PETERSHAM—Butcher's Shop and Dwelling, New Canterbury-road. Terms.
4. ASHFIELD—CORNER Block Vacant Land, LIVERPOOL-ROAD and Elizabeth-street, adjoining Oddfellows' Hall.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 16th September, at 11 o'clock,

The above, full particulars of which will shortly be announced. (1430.)

EVELEIGH-STREET, EVELEIGH.

FREEHOLD DWELLING, No. 58, Eveleigh-street, only a short distance from Eveleigh station, and handy to railway workshops.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 16th September, at 11 o'clock,

The above, full particulars of which will shortly be published. (1431.)

CHARMING SITUATION AT CROYDON.
Elevated, and with frontages to three good roads.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

CAPITAL RESIDENCE, RATHGAEL, and wide grounds, about 12½ acres, with large valuable frontages to CROYDON-ROAD, CHURCH-STREET, and BAY-STREET, rendering the property most attractive as a gentleman's Suburban Homestead, or it would prove profitable to SPECULATORS, BUILDING SOCIETIES, and others for subdivision, as the property enjoys a prominent site on the hill, whence is commanded extensive and picturesque views, withal convenient (about 10 minutes from station), and possessing a healthy atmosphere. It adjoins Ashfield Park Estate.

THE RESIDENCE is of stone and brick, part two-story, and part Cottage at rear, with verandahs, hall, 8 rooms, kitchen, &c., besides numerous useful and good outbuildings. It is well known as formerly occupied by the late vendor, James Sandy, Esq., and the land was an early picked block many years ago.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell, by order of the Trustees, by public auction, at the ROOMS, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above residence and expansive valuable grounds, Croydon. Cards to view on application. (1428)

CITY COMMERCIAL SITE.

KENT-STREET, adjoining TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE, and close to and south of MARKET-STREET.

A VALUABLE ALLOTMENT of LAND, 44 feet 2½ inches, KENT-STREET (west side), with the great depth of 124 feet. It is really a superior Building Block, in a central position, near to the heart of the city, the active shipping wharves and railway at Darling Harbour. A position that must largely enhance in value in a very few years.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above land, Kent-street. Torrens' Title. (1427.)

CLAREVILLE ESTATE,
SANDRINGHAM, LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH,
near KOGARAH TOWNSHIP,
fronting
CLAREVILLE-AVENUE,
continuation of the
SANDRINGHAM-ROAD,

SUBDIVIDED into 46 VILLA and BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

In the immediate neighbourhood are the famous LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH and GEORGE'S RIVER, adjoining that highly-improved property the SANDRINGHAM HOTEL, and handy to the ESTATE is KOGARAH STATION, from which a TRAMWAY has been constructed, with a STOPPING-PLACE at the ESTATE.

LITHOGRAPHS are in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the Rooms of the Auctioneers in a few days.

TITLE, TORRENS'.

FREE TRAIN and TRAM on day of sale.

Preliminary Notice.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction,
ON THE GROUND,
on SATURDAY 1st, OCTOBER, 1887,
at 3 o'clock,

The above BEAUTIFUL and DELIGHTFULLY-SITUATED Property, at LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH, SANDRINGHAM, full particulars of which will appear in future issue.

TERMS OF SALE:

10 per cent. deposit, balance by 36 monthly payments; interest 6 per cent.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

Surveyors—Messrs. DAWSON and DAWSON, Pitt-street. (1377)

ESTATE OF LATE MISS TULLOCH ("SCOTCH MARY").

NEAR BLACKTOWN STATION.

9 EXCELLENT BLOCKS of LAND, part of her TRAVERS MANES' ESTATE, surrounding her late residence on RICHMOND-ROAD, only an easy walk from BLACKTOWN RAILWAY STATION. They vary from 2½ acres up to 4½ acres each, and are choice sites, either for residences or cultivation of orchard or vines; the soil being most adapted for their growth.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by order of the executors, by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above lands, Blacktown, to close accounts. (1425.)

GOLDEN GROVE, DARLINGTON.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on an early date,

Allotments of land in Abercrombie-street, Rose-street, and Calder-road, full particulars of which will shortly be announced.

Terms, liberal; extending over 5 years. (1434.)

SPLENDID CITY BUILDING BLOCK.

To MANUFACTURERS, CAPITALISTS, PRODUCE MERCHANTS, AGENTS, and PHILANTHROPISTS.
1 ACRE 2 ROODS 17 PERCHES,

close to the very heart of the CITY. Near busy wharfs and RAILWAY at DARLING HARBOUR, with large frontages to DUNCAN-STREET, JAMES-STREET, JAMES-LANE, and entrance from SUSSEX-STREET, near to
BATHURST-STREET WEST,
being the site of the historic and long-occupied
BARKER'S MILLS,
formerly working flour as the product, and more latterly and now known as
VICAR'S TWEED FACTORY.

From the elegible situation of this block, coupled with the exceptional
LARGENESS OF THE AREA in the CITY,
only a few hundred feet from the water,
it should engage the attention of BUILDING SYNDICATES for COMMERCIAL STORE purposes and industrial capitalists, or it would prove a favourable opportunity to our wealthy colonists of acquiring a
GRAND SITE for the experiment of the erection of MODEL ARTISAN DWELLINGS.

It will be leased for
21 YEARS' term, from 1st JANUARY, 1888,
so that the considerable capital sum of its value is not to be found and paid by a buyer, and the ANNUAL RENTAL will remain the same throughout the whole period.

TERMS.—Purchasers to bid an ANNUAL RENTAL, and also to make a cash payment of £6000, by way of bonus, viz.: —25 per cent. deposit, and the balance on execution of the LEASE.

The present buildings are extensive and varied, and the machinery therein belonging to the vendor will become the property of the buyer, without extra cost.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Trustees of the Will of the late THOMAS BARKER, Esq., to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, PITT-STREET, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

The lease for 21 years of the above large
CENTRAL CITY BLOCK of LAND. (1429)

BRIANT ESTATE,
adjoining
MARRICKVILLE RAILWAY STATION,
every foot high building land is now being
SUBDIVIDED INTO BUILDING LOTS,
and will be sold on the ground, at 3 p.m.,
SATURDAY, 5th NOVEMBER, 1887.

Frontages to Marrickville and Sydenham roads, also road along Railway Station.

Torrens' title. Easy terms.
(1433) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

TO AGRICULTURISTS, DAIRY FARMERS, AND OTHERS.

SUTTON FOREST.
THE OLDBURY ESTATE.
FOR POSITIVE SALE.

By Order of the ADMINSTRATRIX of the Estate of the late J. J. O. ATKINSON, Esq.

OLDBURY contains an area of about 2760 ACRES of rich agricultural and grazing land, and is situated within 3 miles of the MOSSVALE RAILWAY STATION by the Old Argyle-road nearly all the way.

Particulars of Title may be obtained from Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Co., of Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street, Solicitors for the Estate.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, early in the ensuing Spring, of which due notice will be given,

The above choice Estate, in one or more lots, of which early information will be published.

INTENDING PURCHASERS are invited to inspect the land, and on application to Mr. E. H. BADGERY, of SUTTON FOREST, every facility will be afforded them for doing so. Mr. Badgery is acting as local agent for the vendor in conjunction with the Auctioneers.

PLAN on view at the Rooms.
TERMS AT SALE. (1335)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MR. CUMMINS.

WOLLONGONG DISTRICT,
the garden of the colony.

That well-known and beautifully-situated Property
called
WESLEY PARK,
in area
ONE HUNDRED ACRES
of rich cabbage-tree flats and sloping hills,
distant about
5 MILES FROM WOLLONGONG,
near Mount Kembla, adjoining Berkely Estate, and close to the Wollongong-road.

, This Choice Estate is cleared, the soil good, and the water supply never failing.

It is well adapted for subdivision into Orchard and Vineyard Blocks, or is a splendid spot for a Gentleman's Country Home, or Dairy Farm.

The position is elevated, thereby commanding uninterrupted views of the Ocean, Illawarra Lake, Tom Thumb Lagoon, &c.

It is expected that a Railway Station will be at Unanderra township—only 1½ mile off.

Coal and Shale have been found near this valuable Farm.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on an early date, due notice of which will be announced,

Wesley Park, near Wollongong, full particulars of which can be obtained on application at the Rooms of the Auctioneers; or from
Mr. JOHN BIGGAR, Auctioneer, Wollongong.

For particulars of title, apply to Messrs. ABBOTT and ALLEN, or Messrs. LAURENCE and RICH, Solicitors, Sydney. (1404)

BOWRAL.
GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY LINE.

KURKULLA, a Brick COTTAGE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, in area 14 ACRES, fronting the main road to Mittagong, distant about one mile from Bowral railway station.

CASSELSY, a Weatherboard COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with Grounds, in area 10 ACRES.

, The above delightfully situated Country Residences are in the immediate neighbourhood of the highly improved properties of Sir F. Darley, — Holle, Esq., — Osborne, Esq., and others.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, about the middle of OCTOBER,

The above country residences, full particulars of which will appear in future issue.

TERMS AT SALE. (1424)

COUNTY OF MACQUARIE.
THE REDBANK ESTATE,
situate on the Hasting River, containing about 2450 Acres of Land.

FOR POSITIVE SALE,
under the direction of the Master in Equity.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction; at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on an early day in November next, of which ampl notice will be published,

The above extensive block of land, having a frontage of about 50 chains to the HASTINGS RIVER, and running back, about 4 miles. About 200 acres on the frontage, extending to the GOWRIE-ROAD, are described as good alluvial soil, of which about 130 acres are under cultivation, and yield a rental of £190 per annum. The produce of the property is easily conveyed to PORT MACQUARIE, the RIVER HASTINGS being navigable for vessels of light draught to the neighbourhood of the estate. The rest of the land is forest timbered with blackbutt, gum, and other large descriptions.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.
TERMS AT SALE.

FULL PARTICULARS of TITLE can be obtained from Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Co., Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street, Sydney; and from Messrs. Bradley and Son, solicitors, 58, Margaret-street, Sydney, solicitors for the estate. (1402)

WAVERLEY LAND SALE.

That DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED CORNER BLOCK LAND, in area 2 acres, having extensive frontages to
COOGEE BAY-ROAD
and
MACPHERSON-STREET,

Abutting on Clergy Daughters' School, opposite Lugar Brae, and only a few minutes' walk from Waverley tram terminus.

This elevated and choice block,
FENCED and PLANTED with PINE TREES,
is now in course of
SUBDIVISION INTO BUILDING SITES,
and will be sold on an early date, due notice of which will be announced.

EASY TERMS. LITHOS. PREPARING.

Vendors, the Trustees of St. Mary's Church, Waverley.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH (1401)

CHOICE SUBDIVISION, STRATHFIELD,
of
that pretty cleared Paddock, viewable from the station, on the hill, on north side of line, known as belonging to Sir Daniel Cooper, Bart.,

COMMANDING EXCELLENT VIEWS

over a wide stretch of country, opposite the residences and ample grounds of Mosely Cohen, Esq., J.P., and John Williams, Esq., and embracing

TWO VALUABLE CORNERS,
and
27 CHOICE SITES,

near the neat villas of Messrs. Bull, Cowdery, Nichols, and others,

and fronting
STREET LEADING TO STATION,
COOPER-STREET (chain wide)
and
DRIVER'S-ROAD.

TERMS—10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in 3 months without interest, and the balance at 1, 2, and 3 years' date, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum.

SALE ON THE GROUND
on a day in October next, due notice of which will be announced.

LITHOS. PREPARING.
(1432.) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

FOR POSITIVE SALE,

that well-known and highly improved Residential and Grazing Estate,
"GREENWICH PARK,"
situated on the Southern Railway Line, 114 miles from Sydney, 23 miles N. of Goulburn, and near Marulan,
comprising an area
3763 (more or less) Acres Freehold Land
180 (more or less) Acres Conditionally Purchased Land.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from the Trustees to sell by public auction, at the Exchange, Sydney, on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, at half-past 2,
The above.

Letters to inspect from the agents,
BROWN BROS. and CO.,
174, Castlereagh-street,
Sydney.

ORDER OF SALE
of
SUNDRY PROPERTIES, to be
SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1887.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

DARLINGHURST.	Residence known as "Iona," fronting Upper Dowling-street, with large garden and pleasure grounds.
WAVERLEY.	A really picturesque Residential Site, nearly 3 acres in area, fronting NELSON BAY-ROAD and GARDYNE-STREET.
HELSARMEL.	Building Sites in the Helsarmel Estate, fronting AUGUSTUS, MARY, JAMES STREETS.
PADDINGTON.	Dwelling-house, known as BRAEMERE, fronting Paddington-street, by a depth to Little Underwood-street at rear.
BULLI (Rixon's Pass).	95½ Acres of Coal Land, close to Brooker's Nose and Bellambi Collieries.
GOSFORD.	Subdivision Block, 5a. 3r. 25p. in area, fronting NARRARA CREEK, GEORGINA-TERRACE and DONNISON-STREET.
CLYDE (without reserve).	Block of Land in the CLYDE TOWNSHIP, about 4 acres in area, fronting MACLEOD-STREET and WHARF-ROAD.
LAKE MACQUARIE.	Building Block, 2 roods 13 perches in area, fronting the waters of the Lake and Station-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER.

LOT 1.—GOSFORD. HOMEBUSH to WARATAH RAILWAY LINE.

IN THE TOWNSHIP OF GOSFORD, a CAPITAL SUBDIVISION BLOCK, containing an area of 5a. 3r. 25p., situate fronting NARARA CREEK, bounded by DONNISON-STREET and GEORGIANA-TERRACE, being lots 8 and 13 of the township subdivision. TITLE, FREEHOLD.

This block is capable of advantageous subdivision, and being close to the RAILWAY STATION, is well worth the attention of anybody on the look-out for a small speculation.

LOT 2.—FOR ABSOLUTE UNRESERVED SALE, CLYDE TOWNSHIP, BATEMAN'S BAY.

A BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, about 4 acres in area, comprised in THIRTEEN (13) BLOCKS of BUILDING LAND, having together 912ft. frontage to M'LEOD-STREET, by a depth of about 198ft. along WHARF-ROAD. TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the ROOMS, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

The above properties at
GOSFORD and BATEMAN'S BAY,
which are brought into the market to close accounts.

PLANS ON VIEW AT THE SALE ROOMS.

RIXON PASS, BULLI.
95½ ACRES of COALFIELD, suitable
for immediate development and profitable manipulation,

Situate on the east side of the COAST RANGE, and in the MIDST OF THE COLLIERIES of the ILLAWARRA DISTRICT, and distant about 5 miles from Wollongong and about 1½ mile west of the 44-mile post on the ILLAWARRA RAILWAY LINE, now approaching completion, thus rendering the MEANS of TRANSIT of the OUTPUT OF COAL equally easy by
RAIL OR WATER CARRIAGE.

Adjoining this property on the NORTH SIDE is the BELLAMBI COLLIERY, while the BULLI MINE is about 3 miles further north. On the SOUTH are the BROOKER'S NOSE COLLIERY, distant one mile, MOUNT PLEASANT about 3 miles, and MOUNT KEIRA about 4 miles.

HARDIE and GORMAN have RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms,

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

The above described 95½ ACRES of COAL LAND at BULLI, more particularly described in the voluminous reports by different authorities of the value of the minerals beneath the surface, lying for perusal with the auctioneers.

Plan of the property on view at the Rooms.

HEIGHTS OF DARLINGHURST.

COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE
known as
IONA,
situate in UPPER DOWLING-STREET,
a few yards north of Liverpool-street,
with an entrance from
DARLINGHURST-ROAD,
opposite to
ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The ACCOMMODATION comprises

Drawing-room, Dining-room, with small room off, large and small Bedrooms, each with dressing room, bathroom, &c., two spare rooms, kitchen, laundry fitted with plate racks, copper, washing bins, &c., dairy, servant's room, and man's room outside; at rear are extensive fowl-houses and yard, cow-house and feedroom.

The LAND has a frontage of 151ft. by a depth of 220ft.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from J. H. WANT, Esq., to sell by public auction at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

THAT COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, which is surrounded by the highly improved properties of Messrs. P. B. Walker, W. L. Docker, John Rae, and Richard Jones.

IONA is a compact property, very favourably situated, within walking distance of the city. The POSITION cannot be excelled in this favourite locality, and commands pretty views of the harbour.

The GROUND, which is nicely laid out into flower garden and paddocks, is SUITABLE for SUBDIVISION.

CARDS to inspect can be obtained on application at the Rooms.
PLAN ON VIEW.

A REALLY PICTURESQUE MANSION SITE,
or SUBDIVISION BLOCK,
occupying a
PLEASANT POSITION IN WAVERLEY,
within a short distance of BRONTE, and already planted with well-nurtured shrubs and foliage trees.

The LAND possesses an area of nearly 3 acres, with a large frontage to the

NELSON BAY-ROAD
and
GARDYNE-STREET,

and adjoins Springfield, the residence of Major Taunton, and is immediately opposite Montrose, for many years the residence of Wm. Wiley, Esq.

The IMPROVEMENTS comprise an exceptionally well-built and prettily designed LODGE, containing 5 rooms, &c., and also a well-kept tennis lawn.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPT.,

The above-described residential block at Waverley, close to the tram terminus.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER NEXT.

ROCKDALE, CLOSE TO THE STATION.

TWO CAPITAL BUILDING SITES, fronting the ROCKY POINT-ROAD, and street at rear, being Lots 28 and 45, Sec. A, of the ROCKDALE TOWNSHIP ESTATE. Title, Torrens'.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, in the ROOMS, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

The above-described BUILDING SITES at ROCKDALE, close to the STATION.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
LAKE MACQUARIE, LOCHABER TOWNSHIP.

A CAPITAL BUILDING BLOCK, 2 roods 13 perches in area, having about 140 feet 6 inches Frontage to STATION-STREET, and a long Trontage to the Waters of LAKE MACQUARIE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

The above described Building Block at Lake Macquarie, being Lot 3, Sec. E., of the LOCHABER TOWNSHIP.

No. 15, PADDINGTON-STREET, PADDINGTON.

"BRAEMERE," a FAMILY RESIDENCE, built of brick on stone foundation, containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, pantry, and bathroom, gas and water laid on, asphalted yard.

The Land has a Frontage of 15ft. by a depth of about 170ft., with a Frontage to Little Underwood-street at rear.

TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

The above described dwelling-house.

HELSARMEL ESTATE, LEICHHARDT,
just beyond the tram terminus.

Lots 40, 41, 42, and 48, section 8, having 80ft. frontage to AUGUSTUS-STREET, by a depth of 100ft. along MARY-STREET, with land at rear.

Lots 73 and 75, section 3, each having 33ft. frontage to JAMES-STREET, by a depth of 100ft.

TITLE TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

The above described building sites, situate close to Norton-street, near the tram terminus, and in a highly improving position. PLAN ON VIEW.

GOSFORD. GOSFORD.

OPENING OF THE RAILWAY, SYDNEY TO NEWCASTLE.

DAVID'S HILL ESTATE,
Situate in the heart of the TOWNSHIP, and close to the GOSFORD RAILWAY STATION.

The ESTATE, which consists of about 6 ACRES of GOOD BUILDING LAND, has been subdivided by Mr. Surveyor Chauncey into 38 ALLOTMENTS, situate fronting MANN, ETNA, HOLDEN, BEANE, and HILLAS STREETS, each ALLOTMENT being about 45 feet frontage by 135 feet deep.

On LOT 1 is erected a comfortable W.B. COTTAGE RESIDENCE.

LITHO. PLANS at the ROOMS.

The LAND is WELL ELEVATED, and has a gentle slope, thus securing perfect drainage. TITLE FREEHOLD.

TERMS: 20 PER CENT. DEPOSIT (1-5), and the balance by equal payments in 6, 12, 18, and 24 months, interest at 6 per cent. per annum. Discount of 2½ per cent. for cash if paid within 28 days.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER, at 2 o'clock,

The above described subdivision at Gosford.

Lithos. at the ROOMS.

FIRST SALE AFTER the OPENING of the TRAM.

DOLLS POINT, SANDRINGHAM.

THE PICK OF THE DISTRICT,
in the immediate vicinity of RUST'S HOTEL,
for
SALE BY AUCTION, ON THE GROUND,
on
SATURDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER,
in
BUILDING ALLOTMENTS
of
IMMENSE DEPTH,
none being less than 190 FEET.

THIS MAGNIFICENT ESTATE,
with all its historical associations, possesses large and important frontages to Russell-avenue and waters of the
FAR-FAMED BOTANY BAY,
and commands varied views of UNSURPASSING BEAUTY, extending for miles up the George's River on the one hand, and comprising BOTANY HEADS, LA PEROUSE, KURNELL, on the other.

The MEANS of COMMUNICATION with the METROPOLIS are easy, approached by quick service of trains to Kogarah, and thence by a LIGHTER RAILWAY which runs through the Estate, thus rendering the CARRIAGE of BUILDING MATERIAL a very CHEAP and EASY matter.

The DRIVE by ROAD is pleasant and inter sting, and can be accomplished within the hour.

BOATING, FISHING, and SEA BATHING—
in fact, all the advantages of
A SEASIDE RESORT—
are to be had at
DOLLS POINT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, on the GROUND, in subdivision,

SATURDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER, 1887,
The above described
MARINE RESIDENCE SITES
at
DOLLS POINT, SANDRINGHAM.

TERMS have been specially arranged, and a deposit of only 10 per cent. will be required, and the balance may remain over a period of three years in equal quarterly instalments.

PLANS and BOOK OF PARTICULARS at the SALE ROOMS

In the Estate of Mrs. M'LEOD, deceased.

TWO COTTAGES, situate in JOHN and BOWDEN STREETS, WOOLLAHRA.

GLEN COLIN COTTAGE, fronting John-street, built of brick, shingle roof, containing 5 rooms and kitchen, let at 10s per week, and FLORA COTTAGE, at the rear, fronting Bowden-street, built of weatherboards, shingle roof, containing 3 rooms and kitchen, let at 10s per week. The land has a frontage of 24 feet 9 inches by a depth of 117 feet.

Title, Freehold. T. B. Rolin, Esq., of 86, Pitt-street, Solicitor to the Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14,
the above-described property.

RANDWICK, OVERLOOKING COOGEE BAY.

A really charming building site, eminently adapted for the erection of a first-class residence, having 50 feet frontage to St. Marks-street, by a depth of 206 feet, being lot 2, sec. 3 of St. Mark's Glebe Estate. TITLE, LEASEHOLD, having about 94 years to run, at the nominal ground rent of £8 10s per annum.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER.

The above-described BUILDING SITE, within a stone's throw of the Waverley-Randwick tram line.

BY ORDER of the MORTGAGEE.

LANE COVE,
or NORTH SHORE HEIGHTS.

A SPECULATOR'S BLOCK,
containing in area
32a. 3r. 30p.
of REALLY GOOD BUILDING LAND,
close to HAMILTON'S, just off the STONY CREEK-ROAD,
at its junction with the LANE COVE-ROAD,
close by the PUBLIC SCHOOL,
opposite to and adjoining the properties of
Dr. MOORE and Mr. MELLIDAY, and situate very near
NORTH SHORE RAILWAY LINE,

WHILE IT IS ALMOST CERTAIN THERE WILL BE A STATION WHERE THE LINE CROSSES THE STONY CREEK, THUS MAKING THIS PROPERTY EXCEEDINGLY ELIGIBLE FOR SUBDIVISION PURPOSES.

The situation, though elevated, is well sheltered, and the land has an easterly slope.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is directed to the sale of this Block, which affords to SYNDICATES and BUILDING COMPANIES a chance of purchasing at a nominal price, and subdividing in the coming season at a large profit.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on

WEDNESDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER,

32a. 3r. 30p. at NORTH SHORE, as above described, and good land, will bear inspection, originally a grant to P. BUCHAN.

ELIZABETH BAY.

A Most Delightful
WATERSIDE RESIDENCE
and
GROUNDS,
enjoying a N.E. aspect, and distinguished as
PURFLEET,
BILLYARD AVENUE,
occupying a charming position in this aristocratic and much esteemed neighbourhood.

THE HOUSE, which is of handsome and imposing elevation (substantially erected of brick on massive stone foundations), is a model of effect and excellence of workmanship, having been built under the personal superintendence of the owner, no expense being spared to render it
A MOST ENJOYABLE HOME,
replete with every improvement and appliance for convenience, and recently decorated, regardless of cost, in the most approved fashion.

THE INTERIOR ACCOMMODATION is planned in the following admirable manner:—On the TOP FLOOR: 2 Principal BEDROOMS, 2 Secondary BEDROOMS, a small CONSERVATORY and Servant's Room, a BATHROOM fitted with bath, hot and cold water, a marble washbasin, and W.C. All these rooms open on to wide and lofty corridors. There is also a conveniently arranged Balcony, from which a vast expanse of
MAGNIFICENT PANORAMIC SCENERY
is obtainable, almost unrivalled in beauty, extending in all directions.

ON THE GROUND FLOOR:

Entrance HALL, 8ft. wide, and verandah
AN ELEGANT DRAWING ROOM, fitted with handsome white marble mantel, register stove, and tesselated hearth
A DINING-ROOM and BREAKFAST-ROOM, communicating by folding doors. These two rooms can at will be thrown into one
LARGE ENTERTAINING SALOON, a feature that should not be lost sight of.

THE DOMESTIC OFFICES are of a most complete description, and comprise:—
A CAPITAL KITCHEN, with range
WASHHOUSE, with copper, washtubs, sink, with water laid on
HOUSEMAID'S PANTRY, fitted with shelves and sink
STOREROOM, fitted with wine rack and shelves.

OUTSIDE are Wood and Coal Bins, DRYING LAWN, also tradesmen's entrance, and 2 W. Cs.

Marble Mantels are fitted in all the principal rooms, Venetian Shutters to all the Ground Floor Windows, and Gas and Bells throughout.

THE PLEASURE GROUNDS, running down to the placid waters of Elizabeth Bay (from whence every element of enjoyment is provided in the lovely natural surroundings), are laid out with consummate taste, and comprise
A FULL-SIZED TENNIS COURT,
and other well-kept Lawns, planted with an endless variety of Flowers and Shrubs. There is also an
Attractive and Ornamental
BOAT and BATHING HOUSE
combined. Here also are Dressing-room, a Cold Water Shower, Lavatory, &c.

THE LAND has a frontage of 92ft. to Billyard-avenue, and 40ft. to Elizabeth Bay, by a through depth of 260ft. These measurements are more or less.

THE TITLE is LEASEHOLD (Macleay Estate), having 94 years to run, subject to a nominal ground rent of £80 per annum.

This most desirable PROPERTY is situate adjoining the residence of the late Mr. J. G. Hanks, is within 20 minutes' walk of the G. P. O., close to the omnibus stands at Elizabeth Bay and Potts Point, via Macleay-street, which latter place is approached by a private right-of-way, especially reserved to the owner.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 28th September, 1887,

The above described charming
MARINE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS,
situate at
ELIZABETH BAY.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

IMPORTANT CITY PREMISES
in
KENT-STREET, close to KING-STREET,
and surrounded by the warehouse premises of
Messrs. J. KEEP and SON, Messrs. FARMER and CO.,
and others.

THE LION STEAM FLOUR MILLS,
No. 347, KENT-STREET.

This property is substantially built of brick on stone foundations, with ornamental brick front, and comprises
SPACIOUS GROUND FLOOR,
with
THREE FLATS OVER,
each floor being specially adapted for carrying weight.

Also,
At the rear is erected a LARGE STORE, three stories high, opening on to the main building.

THE COSTLY MACHINERY (the greater portion of which is new), and complete working plant, are all modern and patented, and may be included in the sale.

The LAND has a frontage of 45 feet to KENT-STREET, by the great depth of 126 feet.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on an early date in OCTOBER, unless previously disposed of privately,

The above described valuable and centrally situated premises, known as the Lion Steam Flour Mills.

Further particulars in due course.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
BALMAIN, IN BEATTIE-STREET, CLOSE TO EVANS-STREET.

A SPLENDID BUSINESS POSITION, TO BE SOLD CHEAP.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on

WEDNESDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER,

That block of building land, having 99 feet frontage to Beattie-street, by a depth of 73 feet 9 inches on one side and 16 feet 9 inches on the other, adjoining Mr. M'Farlane's residence, and close to Ewell-street.
Title, Torrens' Act.

Rough Sketch on view at the Rooms.

CAMPERDOWN, NEWTOWN.

To Builders and the Public generally.

THAT EXCEPTIONAL BUILDING ESTATE
known as portion of
FOWLER'S ESTATE
will be Sold in Subdivision
on
SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER,
by
HARDIE and GORMAN.

The Estate is being Subdivided by Mr. Surveyor Dawson into allotments fronting
AUSTRALIA-STREET,
ROSS-STREET,
ETON-STREET,
DENISON-STREET.
Each Allotment has a Lane at rear.

The demand for Building Land in this
RESIDENTIAL LOCALITY
is exceptionally great, owing to its
PROXIMITY TO THE CITY,
and the fact that almost all the surrounding property has been built upon.

The MEANS of COMMUNICATION are varied, as both 'bus and tram virtually pass the property every few minutes, while 30 MINUTES' EASY WALKING from the G. P. O. would take one to the Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction,
ON THE GROUND,
on
SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER,
the well known
FOWLER'S ESTATE,
fronting made streets.

PLANS WILL BE READY SHORTLY.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

For Positive Sale,
90 ACRES OF GOOD ARABLE LAND,
portion planted with Fruit Trees,
AT PITTWATER,
with W.B. COTTAGE, containing 6 rooms and outhouses thereon.
This property, which was formerly known as Chave's, is immediately opposite SCOTLAND ISLAND.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the ROOMS, 133, PITT-STREET,

EARLY IN OCTOBER,
the above-described ORCHARD PROPERTY at PITTWATER.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

CLOSE TO SPRINGWOOD RAILWAY STATION.

MALVERN HILLS ESTATE,
comprising
over 400 Acres of RICH ARABLE LAND,
at present covered with
REALLY EXCELLENT TIMBER.

This PROPERTY, which has immense prospective value, is available for immediate subdivision into
ORCHARD or VINEYARD BLOCKS,
for which purpose it is admirably adapted, as proved by the vineyard adjoining of Mons. Marie, and others in close proximity.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction,
DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER,
The above described property, close to SPRINGWOOD, known as
THE MALVERN HILLS ESTATE,
which is being brought into the market solely to close a partnership account; it is, therefore, with confidence that the Auctioneers invite the attention of speculators, syndicates, or building societies to the sale, as
THE OWNERS HAVE POSITIVELY DECIDED TO SELL.

Plans will be ready shortly.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

CABRAMATTA CABRAMATTA
(on the G. S. R. Line),
RIGHT AT THE RAILWAY STATION.

That WELL-POSITIONED and HIGHLY VALUABLE
BUILDING ESTATE,
Surrounding the CABRAMATTA RAILWAY STATION,
known as
FRONT'S GRANT,
will be subdivided into
BUSINESS and RESIDENTIAL SITES FRONTING
66 FEET STREETS.

For a long time past the PROGRESS of the district has been RETARDED, owing to this large Building Estate having been LOCKED UP; but it is now our pleasure to announce that
THE PROPERTY WILL BE PLACED IN THE MARKET
for ABSOLUTE SALE in
BLOCKS TO SUIT ALL CLASSES OF BUYERS.

The Loopline from Liverpool to St. Peters will bring this property within
FOURTEEN MILES OF SYDNEY,
while the flourishing township of LIVERPOOL is but two miles distant.

The SOIL is rich and suitable for cultivation, as the luxuriant native growth will now testify, the POSITION is ELEVATED, commanding EXPANSIVE VIEWS, and the district all round is in a thriving condition, everything pointing to the fact
THAT THE PROSPECTIVE VALUE
of land purchased in this estate is IMMENSE.

The TERMS will be arranged specially easy, extending over a period of years.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to prepare for Sale,
ON AN EARLY DATE,
the above-described BUILDING ESTATE
at
CABRAMATTA,
SURROUNDING THE RAILWAY STATION.

SPECIAL TRAIN ON THE DAY OF SALE.

MILITARY-ROAD, NORTH SHORE.

LONG VIEW ESTATE
will be
SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION
on
SATURDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 10th,
at 3 o'clock,
ON THE GROUND,
by
G. T. CLARKE and CO., Local Auctioneers.

This Property commands the finest views from the Military-road. It is adjacent to the probable future terminus of the Great Northern Railway, is within 5 minutes of the Mossman's Bay Ferry, and within 15 minutes of the present tram terminus, the extension of which is now engaging the attention of the Government. Each allotment has large frontages to the Military-road and other streets, all of which are a good width.

TERMS VERY LIBERAL.

The title of the land is leasehold, having over 90 years to run. Each lot will be offered on the bonus principle to public competition. The ground rents are merely nominal, varying from £3 15s to £5 per lot. Secure a plan of the estate.

N.B.—The bonus money, payment of which may extend over a period of 6 months.

Day of Sale—SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th.
G. T. CLARKE and Co., Auctioneers,
Walker-street, St. Leonards,
and Military-road.

FIRST CLASS FATTENING STATIONS.

BUNNA BUNNA and MILLIE SOUTH,
DISTRICT LIVERPOOL PLAINS.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY have been instructed by Messrs. Dangar Brothers to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 21st September, 1887,

The above magnificent PROPERTIES,
Area—Leasehold and resumed, about 113,870 acres
Freehold and c. p. land, about 12,000 ditto.

They are to be offered almost unstocked, say about 800 HD (conjoined) CATTLE, and about 80 HORSES.

The runs, which have a very extensive frontage to both sides of the Thalaba Creek, adjoin Oreel, Nowley, Mungyer, Boolcarrol, and Gundemaine.

The country is unsurpassed in New South Wales for either sheep or cattle, and will fatten anything put on it. It carries a heavy sward of most succulent herbs and grasses, and is beautifully timbered.

The water supply is permanent, and includes the famous dam in the Thalaba Creek, which cost over £2500, the well-known Nine-mile Hole at Millie, and in addition a number of tanks, and a first-class well.

It is all fenced, and subdivided into three large paddocks, and there are numerous small ones. The bulk of the boundary fencing is sheep-proof, and the remainder could easily be made so.

The improvements are all substantial, and amply sufficient for the working of the property.

The country is now in magnificent condition, and ready for a very large number of store stock.

The properties are placed in the market for bona-fide sale, and the Agents would strongly urge on investors to avail themselves of this opportunity.

To station-holders in the New England District such runs would be invaluable for fattening off their surplus stock, or to holders of large Western properties, as a depot, being within easy reach of the railway at Narrabri, now soon to be connected with Sydney.

THE TERMS WILL BE EASY.

For full particulars apply to the Agents,
PITT, SON, and BADGERY,
Pastoral-chambers,
Sydney.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

MORT and CO., Limited, in conjunction with Mr. BOURKE, of MURRUMBURRAH, have received instructions from the Executors of the estate of the late Hon. JOHN NAGLE RYAN, M.L.C., to offer for SALE by Auction, in Sydney, at a future date of which due notice will be given,

The well-known BALLYRYAN ESTATE, containing about 9000 acres of the richest of the far-famed BURROWA PLAINS AGRICULTURAL LANDS.

For particulars of title, apply to
Messrs. SLATTERY and HEYDON,
Solicitors, Sydney.

Any further information can be obtained on application to
MORT and CO., Limited,
Sydney; or
JOHN BOURKE,
Murrumburrah.

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Auction Sales.

THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON.

ROCK FARM, PARRAMATTA.

200 ACRES of MAGNIFICENT LAND, subdivided into 48 Splendid FARM and ORCHARD BLOCKS, varying in Area from 2 to 8 ACRES.

For ABSOLUTE SALE, by order of the EXECUTORS in the ESTATE of the late ROBERT GREEN, Esq.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES (in conjunction with Messrs. MILLS and PILE) have received instructions from the EXECUTORS to sell by public auction, on the Ground,

THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, 3rd SEPTEMBER, at 3 o'clock,

ROCK FARM, PARRAMATTA.

This valuable Estate is situate on the main KISSING POINT-ROAD, within 15 minutes drive of PARRAMATTA RAILWAY STATION.

The greater portion of the land is admirably adapted for ORCHARDS and VINEYARDS, being composed of RICH SOIL, PERMANENTLY WATERED; while the balance is very suitable for the erection of VILLA RESIDENCES, being WELL-ELEVATED, and commanding UNRIVALLED VIEWS over the surrounding country.

The subdivision has been carefully carried out by Messrs. DAWSON and DAWSON, Licensed Surveyors, of 88, Pitt-street, and LITHOS. may be obtained from the Auctioneers, or on the Ground.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

TERMS MOST LIBERAL, viz., 15 per cent. deposit, balance in equal QUARTERLY INSTALMENTS extending over 5 (FIVE) YEARS, carrying 6 per cent. interest.

Solicitor for the Estate: E. W. ALLINGHAM, Esq., Lismore.

Agents' Solicitors: Messrs. COPE and KING, 139, Pitt-street.

Note.—An OMNIBUS will meet the 1.45 p.m. Train from Sydney on arrival at Parramatta Station, and convey intending buyers to the estate.

BY ORDER OF E. M. STEPHEN, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF W. BAIRD.

KATOOMBA.

TOWNSHIP PROPERTIES.

The following FREEHOLD RESIDENCES and Land, close to KATOOMBA RAILWAY STATION.

1st. "MONTROSE."—A substantial Residence, situate on the main BATHURST ROAD, built of brick on stone, slated roof, containing 12 good rooms and out-offices. Land, 66 x 100. This is a FIRST-CLASS PROPERTY, and quite NEW.

2nd. "BANNOCKBURN."—A comfortable detached stone COTTAGE, slated roof, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, hall, and small verandah bedroom; let at £70 per annum. Land 66 feet frontage by 200 feet deep.

3rd. "GLENAMPLE."—A large brick COTTAGE on main Bathurst-road, containing hall, front verandah (tiled), back verandah, 12 rooms, kitchen, and numerous out-offices; ample WATER SUPPLY from TANKS, and good WELL 20 feet deep, sunk in the solid rock. LAND, about 75 x 200, with picket fence in front, and paling fence at sides and rear.

4th. "GLENCOE."—A detached COTTAGE facing Park-street, just at rear of the CARRINGTON HOTEL, built of brick on stone, and containing 4 rooms, hall, kitchen, verandahs (back and front), &c. LAND, about 66 x 200, enclosed with PICKET FENCE in front and close palings on three sides. Let at £1 per week.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from E. M. STEPHEN, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above substantial RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES at KATOOMBA, two of which front the main Bathurst-road and the Railway, while the others are but distant about two minutes' walk from the STATION.

By order of S. LYONS, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE in the INSOLVENT ESTATE of PHILLIP JAMES, of Newtown.

SOUTH ANNANDALE, or STANMORE.

Handsome RESIDENCE, erected on lot 69, sec. C, of the well-known SOUTH ANNANDALE (Johnston's) ESTATE, situate on the hill overlooking STANMORE STATION, in fact, within 5 minutes' easy walk of 'BUS, RAIL, and TRAM, and commanding EXTENSIVE VIEWS on all sides.

The PROPERTY is SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT of brick on stone, slated roof, and CONTAINS good Hall, Verandah, Balcony, Drawing, Dining, and 3 Bed Rooms, Servant's Room, Kitchen (with oven), Pantry, &c.; GAS and WATER throughout, MARBLE MANTELS, ELECTRIC BELLS, and every possible convenience.

LAND, 20 x 120, facing ALBANY-ROAD, with 20ft. LANE at rear.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from S. LYONS, Esq., to sell the above by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 13th September, at 11.30 a.m.

Title, TORRENS' ACT. PLAN on view.

SOLICITOR for Vendor, E. A. SMITH, Esq., O'Connell-street.

By order of S. LYONS, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE in the INSOLVENT ESTATE of M. CANDRICK.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO, No. 67, Forbes-street.

A Valuable desirably-situated COTTAGE PROPERTY, close to WOOLLOOMOOLOO-STREET and the DOMAIN, built of brick on stone, containing 4 good rooms, kitchen, &c. Rent, 16s per week. LAND, 18 x 90, running back to CHARLES-STREET at rear.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from S. Lyons, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

All the Official Assignee's right, title, and interest (if any) in and to the above-described property, known as No. 67, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo.

CAPITAL INVESTMENT. FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

WATERLOO.—ELIZABETH-STREET.

Two substantial Brick HOUSES in FIRST-CLASS ORDER, each containing 4 rooms, entrance hall, kitchen, verandah, balcony, &c., 2-stall STABLE to one. LAND, 40 x 100. Title, Leasehold, about 93 years unexpired. Ground rent, £20 per annum.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

A BARGAIN.

FONTAINEBLEAU, SANS SOUCI.

SPLENDID WATER-FRONTAGE and Other SITES, varying from 66 x 165 to nearly 2 ACRES in extent, situate close to the HOTEL and BEACH.

The STOPPING-PLACE for the KOGARAH-SANS SOUCI TRAMLINE is right at FONTAINEBLEAU, and ere the day of sale the TRAM WILL BE RUNNING TO THE LAND.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above valuable Estate, on the GROUND, on

SATURDAY, 17th SEPTEMBER, at 3 p.m.

LOVELY VIEWS, Bracing Atmosphere, LARGE SITES, Water Frontages, BOATING, Bathing, and FISHING.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. EASY TERMS.

BY ORDER of the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE of the late W. G. MOORE, Esq.

VALUABLE PROPERTIES in the BUSINESS CENTRE of NEWTOWN, facing the MAIN ROAD and CAMPBELL-STREET.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the Trustees to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 20th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

Lot 1—VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND, having about 40 feet frontage to KING-STREET, by a depth of about 100 feet to a 14-feet PASSAGE, on which stand 2 HOUSES, Nos. 35 and 37, KING-STREET, built of brick, with slated roofs, each containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, front verandah, balcony, &c., and 2 rooms in basement.

Lot 2—CAPITAL BLOCK at rear of lot 1, having about 39½ feet frontage to CAMPBELL-STREET, by about 86 feet in depth to a 14-feet PASSAGE, on which stand 2 HOUSES, built of brick, with slate roof, known as Nos. 77 and 79, CAMPBELL-STREET, each containing hall, 4 rooms, balcony, verandah, &c.

Lot 3—VALUABLE BLOCK, having about 40 feet frontage to KING-STREET by about 100 feet in depth to a 14-feet PASSAGE, on which stand Nos. 49 and 51, KING-STREET, STRATFORD and AVON HOUSES, built of brick, with shingled roofs. No. 49 contains hall, 5 rooms, dining-room, kitchen, with servant's room, washhouse, &c. No. 51 contains hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, servant's room, bathroom, 2 attics, and washhouse.

Lot 4—CAPITAL BLOCK, having about 76 feet frontage to CAMPBELL-STREET, by about 86 feet in depth to a 14-feet PASSAGE, together with the substantial STABLES thereon.

TITLE FREEHOLD. PLAN on VIEW.

SOLICITORS for the Estate: Messrs. WANT, JOHNSON, and CO, Hunter-street.

Owing to a BEREAVEMENT in the Family.

ENMORE, MARIAN-STREET.

ALFRED HOUSE, a complete HOME (not built for sale), maintained in GOOD ORDER, and ready for IMMEDIATE OCCUPATION WITHOUT EXPENSE, situate just off the ENMORE-ROAD, and within ONE MINUTE'S walk of TRAM.

The PROPERTY is SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT of brick on stone, with slated roof, and contains hall, drawing and dining rooms (with folding doors), 5 bedrooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, verandahs back and front, balcony, &c. WATER and GAS laid on. LAND 20 x 100, facing MARIAN-STREET, and running through to MARIAN-LANE at rear.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above desirable property by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 20th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

Title, TORRENS' ACT. PLAN on view.

By order of E. M. STEPHEN, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE in the INSOLVENT ESTATE of R. KELLY.

KELLY'S BAKERY, NEWTOWN, corner KING-STREET, BUCKNELL STREET, and YARALLA-STREET.

THE GRANDEST BUSINESS STAND IN THIS IMPORTANT BUSINESS CENTRE.

To Bakers, Hotel Proprietors, Speculators, and others.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 20th September, at 11.30 a.m.,

That exceptionally valuable centrally situated property, long and favourably known as KELLY'S BAKERY, NEWTOWN,

having the following IMPORTANT FRONTAGES, viz.:—
53 FEET to KING-STREET,
50 FEET to YARALLA-STREET, at rear
200 FEET to BUCKNELL-STREET on one side, and
219 FEET in depth on the other.

On the KING-STREET frontage is erected (at the corner) a substantial handsome SHOP and PREMISES, used as BAKER'S SHOP, with city water and gas laid on, counter and all fittings complete, also dining-room, kitchen, and various offices, over which are 6 good bedrooms and bathrooms.

Also, large STORE and PREMISES, used as a PRODUCE STORE, adjoining which there is sufficient vacant land for the erection of a SHOP.

At rear are the BAKESHOPS, with complete OVENS and accessory workrooms, extensive stabling, and numerous outoffices.

The MAIN BUILDING is solidly erected of BRICK on STONE, cemented and painted, shingled roof.

The ACCESSORY BUILDINGS are also of Brick, roofed with iron, and the Outbuildings of W.B. with iron roofs.

To a MILLER or BAKER the sale of this property offers an invaluable opportunity to secure a first-class GOING CONCERN in the heart of this important BUSINESS CENTRE, ready for IMMEDIATE USE, while to a CAPITALIST or SPECULATOR it offers SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS, the property being admirably adapted for an HOTEL, besides which the whole of the YARALLA-STREET FRONTAGE and part of the KING-STREET FRONTAGE is directly AVAILABLE for BUILDING PURPOSES without at all interfering with the main building.

Title, TORRENS' ACT.

PRELIMINARY.

By Order of the OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE in the INSOLVENT ESTATE of JAMES ERWIN.

*** TO CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, INVESTORS, AND OTHERS.

Exceptionally Desirable CITY and SUBURBAN INVESTMENTS.

CLARENCE-STREET, MILLER'S POINT, ST. LEONARDS, and LANE COVE RIVER.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from E. M. Stephen, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE, to sell by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on AN EARLY DATE, to be fixed hereafter,

The undermentioned VALUABLE PROPERTIES, together with OTHERS, to be enumerated and fully described in a later advertisement.

Lot 1.—CLARENCE-STREET.
That valuable centrally-situated CITY POSITION, situate about 5 doors from KING-STREET, nearly opposite Messrs. JOHN KEEP and SONS' BULK STORES, having about 16 FEET frontage to CLARENCE-STREET, by about 46 feet in depth, on which is erected a two-storied SHOP and DWELLING, occupied by S. STANDON, and known as No. 118, CLARENCE-STREET.

This is an exceptionally GROWING POSITION, being only a few feet from GEORGE-STREET, the POST OFFICE, &c., and surrounded by the PRINCIPAL WHOLESALE WAREHOUSES.

Lot 2.—MILLER'S POINT.
Valuable PROPERTY in WENTWORTH-STREET, off MILLER'S-ROAD, few yards from KENT-STREET, and close to all the PRINCIPAL WHARVES, on which is erected a small COTTAGE, occupied by Mr. JAMES RUSSELL, and known as No. 7, WENTWORTH-STREET.

Lot 3.—ST. LEONARDS.
LARGE HAY and CORN STORE, and DWELLING-HOUSE, occupied by J. C. WILKIE, situate on LANE COVE-ROAD, about half a dozen doors from the POLICE STATION, POST-OFFICE, &c., few feet from TRAM at corner of MOUNT and MILLER STREETS, and surrounded by flourishing BUSINESS PREMISES.

Lot 4.—GREENWICH.
Splendid SUBDIVISION BLOCK of 6½ ACRES, having DEEP WATER FRONTAGE to LANE COVE RIVER, together with the small brick COTTAGE thereon, occupied by Mr. P. M'LAUGHLIN.

TITLE FREEHOLD. TERMS AT SALE.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of the NEOTSFIELD SHORTHORN HERD.

TUESDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER, 1887.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions from Mr. W. J. Dangar to sell by auction, on the Show Ground, Singleton, on TUESDAY, 27th September, 1887,

The whole of the noted Neotsfield herd of pure shorthorn cattle, comprising upwards of 120 head of the most fashionably bred stock in the colonies.

The following high-class sires have been used in the herd:—Baronet (imp.), Lord Ducie (imp.), Littleby (imp.), Grand Prince, Sinecure (imp.), Diamond (imp.), Hillhurst 6th Duke, Balmoral, Baroona, Aurora, Grand Prince Triple, Brassknocker, Sugarloaf 1st, Baroona 5th, Baroona 7th, and Sugarloaf 2nd.

No expense was spared by Mr. Dangar in the formation of this noted herd, and under his personal care and supervision the Neotsfield stock have attained a very high standard of excellence, and are only being sold on account of Mr. Dangar having left the colony for a lengthened visit to Europe.

Catalogues are now ready, and can be obtained on application to the agents,

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER, Norwich-chambers, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Sheriff's Office, Sydney, August 5th, 1887.

SPALDING and ANOTHER v. HARMER, WILLIAM, and WIFE.

ON MONDAY, the twelfth day of September, at noon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, under the verandah of the Supreme Court, King-street,

All the right, title, and interest of William Harmer and Elizabeth Harmer, the defendants herein, of, in, and to all that the Equity of Redemption (if any) of them, the said William Harmer and Elizabeth Harmer, the defendants, in or to a certain vessel called the Mascotte (port and official number, 83730), a screw steamer built at Blue's Bay, Sydney, launched January 6th, 1883, two masts, schooner rigged; length, fifty-eight feet two-tenths; breadth, twelve feet eight-tenths; depth of hold, five feet six-tenths; length of engine-room, sixteen feet eight-tenths; registered tonnage, eighteen tons forty hundreds; engines, one high-pressure engine, made in 1882 by Bow, M'Laughlin, and Co., Paisley, ten-inch cylinders, twelve-inch stroke, eleven-horse power; subject to a mortgage to Captain Broomfield for £800 or thereabouts.

TERMS, CASH.

CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.

LOUIS FREDERICK DIXON, Plaintiffs' Attorney, 92, Pitt-street.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.

Sheriff's Office, Sydney, August 8, 1887.

ELLIS v. THOMAS WHITFORD TAYLOR.

ON MONDAY, the 12th day of September, 1887, at noon, unless the writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Court House, Liverpool,

All the right, title, and interest of Thomas Whitford Taylor, the defendant herein, of, in, and to all that the equity of redemption and all other the right, title, and interest (if any) of him, the said Thomas Whitford Taylor, of, in, and to all that piece or parcel of land situate in the county of Cumberland, parish of St. Luke, and colony of New South Wales, containing by admeasurement fifty acres, more or less, bounded on the east side by 45 chains of the Orphan School land, bearing north, on the north-west by a south-west line of 30 chains 50 links to Cabramatta Creek, and on the south-west side to that creek to point of commencement, being land comprised in Crown grant to Michael Dwyer, dated 5th April, 1821, Reg. No. 176, Book 279.

Also of, in, and to all that piece or parcel situate in county of Cumberland, parish of St. Luke, colony of New South Wales, commencing at a point on the left bank of Cabramatta Creek, and bounded on the south by the land hereinbefore described, bearing north easterly to a road dividing said land from 185 acres 2 roods granted to William Reilly by Crown grant dated 26th April, 1879, thence on the east by that road bearing westerly to land, on the north by that land bearing westerly to Cabramatta Creek aforesaid, thence by that creek bearing southerly to point of commencement, as the same had been in the occupation of the said William Reilly for last eleven years.

The above described lands are subject to a mortgage to A. Fairgrieve for £2500.

TERMS, CASH.

ELLIS and MAKINSON, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 73½, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.

In the Metropolitan and Hunter District Court, Holden at Sydney.

Registrar's Office, 19th August, 1887.

PARSONS v. BENNETT.

ON SATURDAY, the 24th day of September, 1887, at 12 noon, unless the warrant of execution herein be previously satisfied, the REGISTRAR will sell by public auction, at the District Courthouse, King-street, Sydney,

All the right, title, and interest of Charles Bennett, the defendant herein of in and to all that the equity of redemption, and all other the right, title, and interest (if any) of the said Charles Bennett, of, in and to all those conditional purchases, comprising 640 acres, or thereabouts, of land situate in the county of Cook, in the parish of Lett, being C. P. No. 29, of 1876, and A. C. P., No. 39, of 1880, and A. C. P. No. 96, of 1880. And all those mining C. P.'s comprising 200 acres, or thereabouts, of land situate in the county of Cook, in the parish of Lett, being M. C. P. No. 64, of 1881, and M. C. P. No. 109, of 1882.

Terms cash.

J. A. LUCAS, Registrar.

ALFRED G. GIBBES, Plaintiff's Attorney, Wentworth-court, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

ORDER OF SALE.

THURSDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER, by MILLS and PILE, at their SYDNEY AUCTION MART, 130, PITT-STREET, at half-past 11 o'clock.

BURWOOD, Riverview-terrace.	VILLA RESIDENCE SITE, having 40 feet frontage to Park-road, by 135 feet in depth.
WILLOUGHBY, Mowbray-road.	A fine BLOCK of LAND, 11 acres, with frontage to Lane Cove River. POSITIVE SALE.
PARRAMATTA RIVER, Putney.	CHOICE WATER FRONTAGE VILLA SITE, being lots 7 and 8, section 3, Putney Estate, 199 x 358.
CASTLE HILL ROAD.	ORCHARD BLOCK of LAND, over 13 acres, lots 7 and 8, Milson's Estate, overlooking Mr. Palmer's.
CAMPERDOWN, College-street.	A TERRACE of 3 HOUSES, on land 39 feet frontage. BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
SUMMER HILL, Victoria-street.	A FINE VILLA SITE, 40 x 150, fenced, lot 9, section 1, Richardson's Subdivision.

Full particulars at the Rooms.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1887.

WILLOUGHBY, NORTH SHORE.

11 ACRES, FRONTING MOWBRAY-ROAD, WEST, and THE LANE COVE RIVER.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, September 8, at 11.30 o'clock,

A GRAND SUBDIVISION Block, containing 11 acres, extending from MOWBRAY-ROAD WEST to the waters of LANE COVE RIVER, having a frontage of 5 chains by a depth of 25 chains, being the middle portion of J. R. Hatfield's 31-acre grant.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER.

PUTNEY, PARRAMATTA RIVER.

CHOICE VILLA SITE, WATER FRONTAGE.

CASTLE HILL, MILSON'S ESTATE.
RESIDENTIAL SITE of 13a. 1r. 10p.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, in the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 8th September, at 11.30 o'clock.

Putney Estate.—Lots 7 and 8, sec. 3, Putney Estate, having a frontage of 199ft. 3in. to Putney Parade by a depth of 251 and 358ft., with a grand water frontage to Parramatta River, and a sandy beach.

Castle Hill.—Lots 7 and 8, sec. 1, Milson's Estate, containing 13a. 1r. 10p., having extensive frontages to the Castle Hill-road, situate on the brow of the hill, overlooking the residence of Mr. Palmer.

Terms at Sale.

SUMMER HILL, VICTORIA-STREET.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

FINE VILLA SITE, 40 x 150.
Lot 9, section 1, Richardson's Subdivision.
All Fenced.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, September 8, at 11.30,

The above FINE VILLA SITE, Summer Hill.

BURWOOD, RIVERVIEW-TERRACE (PARK-ROAD).

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

COTTAGE RESIDENCE SITE,
having a frontage to Riverview-terrace or Park-road of 40 feet by a depth of 135 feet, being allotment No. 13, section 1, Riverview-terrace. Freehold Title

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the Administrator of the estate of the late C. J. Ryan to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, September 8, at 11.30 o'clock, the above

ALLOTMENT OF LAND.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

COLLEGE-STREET, CAMPERDOWN.

NEXT THURSDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER.

A TERRACE of THREE HOUSES, built of brick on stone, iron roof, with 4 rooms and kitchen, verandah and balcony in front, having a frontage of 39ft. to College-street, a short distance from the Missenden-road. Torrens' title.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, the 8th September, at 11.30, the above

TERRACE of THREE HOUSES.

P E T E R S H A M.

NEXT SATURDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER.

SYDENHAM-ROAD and BISHOP-STREET.

10 CHOICE BUILDING SITES,

EACH 33 FEET FRONTAGE, 127 and 133 FEET DEEP.

SALE ON THE GROUND at 3.30 o'clock.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JOHN MURPHY.

TO BUILDERS, SPECULATORS, INVESTORS, and OTHERS.

SEND FOR A LITHO. and INSPECT THE LAND.

MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers, 130, Pitt-street.

ILLAWARRA-ROAD, MARRICKVILLE.

THURSDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER.

THREE FINE BUILDING SITES, close to the Tram Terminus on the Main Road, being LOTS 60, 61, and 62, Section 1 of the FROGMORE ESTATE, having each 20 feet frontage by a depth of 100 feet to a lane at the rear. Torrens's Title.

Terms—25 per cent cash; balance at 6, 12, and 18 months, at 6 per cent. interest.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 22nd September, at 11.30, the above

MAIN ROAD BUILDING SITES.

BEST BUSINESS PART OF PARRAMATTA.

THURSDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER.

FINE BUSINESS PREMISES situate in CHURCH-STREET, NEAR MACQUARIE-STREET, comprising A SHOP and DWELLING on a LARGE FRONTAGE of 30 feet to Church-street by a depth of 100 feet, and now occupied as ARTLETT'S FURNITURE WAREHOUSE.

PRELIMINARY.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 22nd September, at 11.30, the above

FINE BUSINESS PREMISES situate in CHURCH-STREET, PARRAMATTA.

VALUABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.

TOWN OF MORPETH.

ELIGIBLY SITUATED PROPERTIES.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Executors of the late Chas. E. Jaques.

TITLES PERFECT.

For particulars apply to Messrs. Stephen, Laurence, and Jaques, solicitors, 81, Pitt-street, Sydney.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions to sell by auction, on account of the Executors of the late C. E. Jaques, at Main's Hotel, West Maitland, on SATURDAY, the 10th September, 1887, at 3 o'clock,

Lot 1. All that VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND, having a frontage of 154ft. 5in. to Swan-street, and depth of about 58ft. to the railway line, with THE IMPROVEMENTS, consisting of a COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, brick on stone foundation, containing hall, 6 rooms, wide verandah enclosed with glass, bathroom with water laid on from raised tank, kitchen with pump from underground tank, and sink, pantry, servant's room, dry roomy cellar, and underground tank; at present occupied by J. W. Bowes, Esq., M.L.A.

Also, 4-roomed brick Cottage, verandah front and back, used as offices by Mr. Bowes.

Lot 2. All that PIECE or PARCEL OF LAND, on the opposite side of the railway line to above, but connected therewith by railway crossing, with frontage to railway of 154ft. 5in., and average depth of about 214ft. to the Hunter River, to which there is a full frontage with deep water, and good wharfage accommodation. On it is erected A LARGE STORE, with well-floored and very capacious loft, roofed with galvanised iron; also stables and other sheds, railway platform for loading direct on to railway trucks, also large underground tank sunk in solid rock, with large pump. During the Chinese strike the whole of the A. S. N. Co.'s Hunter River trade was conducted on these premises, and on one occasion over 700 bales of wool, besides other produce, was received by railway and shipped in about 8 hours, besides coaling for full round.

Lot 3. All that CENTRALLY SITUATED and EXTENSIVE BLOCK of LAND, with frontage 67ft. to Swan-street, and depth of 232ft. to a lane. On it is erected A COMMODIOUS TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, known as the Royal Hotel, now doing a good business and yielding a fair rental.

Lot 4. All that PIECE or PARCEL of LAND, with frontage of 134ft. to Swan-street, and depth of 232ft. to a lane, situated between the Royal Hotel and the Post and Telegraph Offices, with fine view of Phoenix Park, the Paterson Hills, and surrounding locality. It is unquestionably the choicest site in Morpeth, either for business premises or private dwellings. THE BUILDINGS now on it consist of a WOODEN STORE and SOME SMALL COTTAGES.

Further particulars can be obtained on application to the auctioneers, West Maitland, Newcastle, and Sydney.

Terms at sale.

EXTENSIVE, VALUABLE, AND ELIGIBLY SITUATED STATION PROPERTY, unstocked in the COLONY of QUEENSLAND.

The Famous NEWINGA STATION, embracing the ADJOINING BLOCKS OF COUNTRY, known as CURRINBY, BAILLYANNAH, GARRARDERA, and CHARLESTOWN, in the DARLING DOWNS AND MARANOA DISTRICTS, containing in the aggregate 224 SQUARE MILES, or 143,360 ACRES, of FIRST-CLASS COUNTRY, capable of depasturing 50,000 sheep or an equivalent in cattle.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION, at the HALL OF COMMERCE, SYDNEY, on WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 7, 1887, at half-past 2 o'clock.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from J. Arndell, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 7th September, 1887, at 2.30 p.m.,

NEWINGA STATION.

With the adjoining blocks of country, without stock, and the right of brand given in.

THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of COMFORTABLE HOMESTEAD, Outbuildings, Stockyards, Paddocks, and about 30 miles of Fencing.

This very excellent property is splendidly grassed and PERMANENTLY WATERED by the Barwin River, and other natural sources, which have never failed to contribute a bountiful supply of water in the most adverse seasons. It adjoins Kunopia, Messrs. Fisher and Hill, Rodgers's, Cook's, Heydon's (formerly Clynes'), and Messrs. Doyle's properties, is very central within EASY DISTANCE OF MARKET, and known as one of the most productive runs in the locality.

The full area is held uninterruptedly by the proprietor, and it is only brought into the market in consequence of his inability to devote the attention necessary for the judicious management of so vast an extent of country in conjunction with other properties.

The opportunity to secure so valuable a run without stock is exceptional, and cannot fail to convince anyone having a knowledge of the country and its surroundings that such an investment will not simply prove remunerative, but under active supervision yield a competency within a very short period.

Further particulars can be obtained from the auctioneers at West Maitland, Newcastle, and 33, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

VALUABLE STATION PROPERTY, for many years occupied by the late Mr. P. Clynes.

The famous TALLWOOD RUN, situate in the MARANOA and DARLING DOWNS DISTRICTS, embracing an area of about 227 Miles of First-class Country.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION, at the HALL OF COMMERCE, SYDNEY, on WEDNESDAY, September 7, 1887.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from the Executors of the late Mr. P. Clynes to sell by auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 7th September, 1887, at half-past 2 o'clock,

All that VALUABLE, EXTENSIVE, WELL-IMPROVED, and SPLENDIDLY-SITUATED STATION, known as TALLWOOD, without stock, embracing an area of about 145,280 acres of good fattening country, permanently and abundantly watered, and adjoining the famous Welltown Run.

This famous and well-known run has an immense carrying capacity, it is approximate to market, and under careful supervision will yield highly remunerative returns.

TERMS:—One-third cash; the balance at one, two, and three years in equal amounts, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.

GOSFORD.

OPENING OF THE RAILWAY to GOSFORD.

GRAND PICNIC AND LAND SALE.

That well-known Estate, LISAROW TOWNSHIP, COX'S GRANT.

TOWNSHIP LOTS. TOWNSHIP LOTS.
ORCHARD BLOCKS. ORCHARD BLOCKS.
FARMS, VINEYARDS, MARKET GARDENS.
VERY RICH SOIL.

TWO TO FIVE ACRES.

DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions from the Excelsior Land, Building, and Investment Company to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 3rd September.

SPECIAL TRAIN starts from Redfern at 8 a.m., calling at Newtown, Petersham, Ashfield, and Strathfield, and passengers will be landed in Sydney at 8.30 p.m. Return tickets, including luncheon, 4s.

VERY EASY TERMS. NO INTEREST.
LUNCH PROVIDED.

Tickets (return) including lunch, 4s.
Don't fail to apply early for lithos. and tickets.

DUFF and COLLINS, Auctioneers, 109, Pitt-street.

Lithos. and Tickets may also be obtained from Messrs. BOOTH and DUFF, Auctioneers, Loyalty-buildings, Enmore-road, Enmore.

WHO AMONGST INVESTORS IN LAND HAVE REALISED THE BIGGEST PROFITS!

Why those who buy right at the Railway Stations, of course.

SUTHERLAND TOWNSHIP, Illawarra Line.

Allotments surrounding the Railway Station, and fronting the National Park.

BUY, BUY, BUY
BUSINESS SITES close to hotels and store and facing Railway Station.
VILLA SITES close to church and school, and facing the National Park.

GARRARD and HAMILTON have received instructions from the Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company, Limited, 96, Bathurst-street, to sell by public auction, on the ground, on

SATURDAY, 17th SEPTEMBER,
THE SUTHERLAND TOWNSHIP ESTATE.

Purchasers have the following easy terms to choose from, with right to pay off at any time:—£3 deposit, cash within 3 months 5 per cent discount; £3 deposit, balance in 12 monthly payments, without interest; 24 monthly payments, with 5 per cent. interest; 48 monthly payments, with 6 per cent. interest; or 60 monthly payments, with 7 per cent interest.

Freehold Land. Torrens' Title.

Special Trains start from Redfern Station at 2 p.m.

Lithographs and railway tickets on application to the Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company, Limited, 96, Bathurst-street; or

GARRARD and HAMILTON, Auctioneers, 122A, Elizabeth-street.

PACKWOOD ESTATE, BRAIDWOOD.

To Farmers, Graziers, and Speculators.

JOHN WALLACE has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Braidwood, on THURSDAY, 8th September next, at 12 o'clock,

That delightfully-situated freehold property, Packwood, two (2) miles from the town of Braidwood, and half a mile from proposed railway line. The property contains 800 acres of first-class agricultural and grazing land, well watered, and all securely fenced. The improvements include brick cottage, 7 rooms, kitchen, laundry, stable, coachhouse, harness-room, barn, slaughter-house, milking-shed, stockyards, garden and orchard.

The whole property is subdivided into six paddocks, including three cultivation paddocks, all sheep-proof.

Also, The farm known as Denis O'Brien's selection, situate on Brick Kiln Creek, near Nithsdale, and containing 120 acres freehold and about 400 acres pre-emptive right, all securely fenced, and permanently watered.

Inspection invited.

Further particulars on application to the auctioneers.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.

NEXT TUESDAY, September 6th.

WATKIN and WATKIN will offer at auction, in their Rooms, 313, Pitt-street, between Park and Bathurst streets, on

TUESDAY, September 6th, at 11.30 a.m.,

The following Properties:—

NEWTOWN, Chalder-street.	Two Brick COTTAGES, each containing 2 rooms, kitchen, and attic bedroom; land 30ft. frontage, with a depth of 61ft. 6in.
ANNANDALE, Wells-street.	A Brick HOUSE, containing 5 rooms, &c., on land having a frontage of 22ft. to Wells-street, with a depth of 88ft.; Torrens' title.
BALMAIN, Harris-street.	PROPERTY, known as Norfolk House, built of brick on stone, with slate roof, and containing hall, 7 rooms, verandah and balcony front and back, coachhouse, man's room, and stable; land 20ft. frontage, with a depth of 100ft. lane at rear.
LEICHHARDT, Jarrett-street, between Renwick and Rofe streets.	A two-story Brick HOUSE on stone foundations, slate roof, and containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, balcony, and verandah; land, 20 x 100; Torrens'.

MACQUOID'S ESTATE, GOSFORD.

THE FINEST LAND IN THE DISTRICT.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17.

WATKIN and WATKIN, by order of the Board of Directors of the Sydney Permanent Freehold Land and Building Society (Mr. J. W. Bibby, secretary) sell by auction, on the Ground, on SATURDAY, September 17.

Township and orchard blocks.

Liberal Terms.
Plans now ready.

PEARCE'S CORNER TOWNSHIP.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15.

WATKIN and WATKIN, by order of the Board of Directors of the National Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited (Mr. J. A. Todd, manager), have been instructed to sell by auction on the ground on SATURDAY, October 15,

Pearce's Corner Township, as surveyed by Mr. J. H. Laycock into 50 Allotments, comprising some of the best Land on the North Shore—Hornsby Railway Line.

About 700ft. above sea level.

ORCHARD, in full bearing, on the estate.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

SATURDAY, October 15.

NEW SUBDIVISION, OVERLOOKING THE WATER.

NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE.

Terms—5 per cent. deposit, balance, 10 years' interest, 6 per cent.

TORRENS' TITLE.

SYDNEY SMITH and CO. have received instructions from the Sydney Freehold Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, to sell by auction, on the ground, on SATURDAY, October 15, at 3 o'clock,

Allotments as above.

Plans in course of preparation.

Further particulars at the Rooms, 122, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6.

To Parties Furnishing, Private Buyers, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and others.

REGULAR WEEKLY UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, comprising
ELEGANT CARVED CAMPHOR WOOD BEDROOM SUITES
COMBINATION and PORTABLE CHESTS DRAWERS
CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES
HALL HAT and UMBRELLA STANDS
SIDEBOARDS, BOOKCASES
CEDAR and PINE CHESTS DRAWERS
CHEFFONIERS, WASHSTANDS
CEDAR and PINE WARDROBES, Plate-glass Doors
DINING AND TOILET TABLES
OFFICE DESKS, WRITING TABLES
CEDAR and PINE SAFES
KITCHEN DRESSERS, TABLES
&c., &c.

MASSIVE OAK SIDEBOARD, 6 feet Canopy Top, with large Bevelled Plate Block, Statuary Shelves, &c.
ELEGANT WALNUT CABINET, Bevelled Plates
DINING and DRAWING ROOM SUITES
AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, NURSE ROCKERS
FLOOR OILCLOTH, LINOLEUM
AMERICAN STERLING ORGAN
&c., &c.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, September 6 at 11 o'clock.

TERMS, CASH.
NO RESERVE.

WAVERLEY. WAVERLEY.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.

To Parties Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and Others.

Important Unreserved Sale by Auction of

SUPERIOR MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE at Mill Hill-road, Waverley, opposite Nelson-road
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE
OVERMANTELS, ORNAMENTS
DINING-ROOM FURNITURE
BRASS BEDSTEADS, SPRING MATTRESSES, and BEDDING
TOILETS, CHESTS DRAWERS
BOOKCASE, AUSTRIAN CHAIRS
BOOKS, CHINA, &c., &c.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from Jas. Anderson, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence, Mill-Hill-road, opposite Nelson-road, Waverley, on WEDNESDAY, September 7, at 11 o'clock,

The whole of his VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

Terms cash.

HILLSIDE-TERRACE, GLENMORE-ROAD.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Fine Art Connoisseurs, Private Buyers, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and Others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of ELEGANT MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, MAGNIFICENT OIL PAINTINGS, &c., at the Residence of A. Oppenheimer, Esq., No. 3, Hillside-terrace, Glenmore-road, comprising

ELEGANT WALNUT OCCASIONAL DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in fancy silk, damask, and plush
ITALIAN WALNUT OCTAGON and OCCASIONAL TABLES
MAGNIFICENT WALNUT PIANO, trichord throughout, with all latest improvements, metal sounding-board, &c., by IBACH SOHN
ELEGANT BLACK and GOLD OVERMANTELS, bevelled plates and statuary shelves
BRASS FENDERS and IRONS, ormolu mounts
ELEGANT MARBLE ORNAMENTS.

MAGNIFICENT OIL PAINTINGS, comprising
THE ALCHEMIST, by Tenier; a very old, rare, and valuable work of art
ITALIAN LANDSCAPE, by Poussin
STILL LIFE, by Blake, R.A.
DAY AFTER THE SIROCCO, by J. Cotton, R.A., 1840.

ELEGANT ROMAN CARVED CAMEO SHELLS
MAGNIFICENT ROMAN CAMEO EAR-SHELL, by Pinsuti
ELEGANTLY CARVED PEARL-SHELLS
BUST of MAORI CHIEF, carved in kauri gum.

MASSIVE OAK DINING-ROOM SUITE, covered in Morocco
Large Gilt Overmantels
HANDSOME OAK SIDEBOARD, bevelled plates, cellarette cupboard, with side shelves, &c.
ART CHINA ORNAMENTS
OAK HAT and UMBRELLA STAND
ELEGANT ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
GENUINE WORCESTER DINNER SERVICE, 120 pieces
GLASSWARE, CHINA
BRUSSELS CARPETS, OILCLOTH
LACE CURTAINS, CORNICES
ELEGANT BLACK and BRASS HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, Spring Mattresses, Bedding, &c.
WALNUT and ASH BEDROOM SUITE
CHESTS DRAWERS, AUSTRIAN CHAIRS
ELEGANT BIRCH BEDROOM SUITE
TOILET WARE, PIER GLASSES
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, &c., &c.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from A. Oppenheimer, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence, 3, Hillside-terrace, Glenmore-road, on THURSDAY, September 8, at 11 o'clock,

The whole of his ELEGANT and VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, MAGNIFICENT OIL PAINTINGS, &c.

On VIEW WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, and MORNING of SALE.

Catalogues on application.

TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9th.

To the Ladies and Gentry of the City and Suburbs, Art Connoisseurs, Managers of Clubs, Jewellers, Commission Brokers, and others.

SECOND HIGHLY IMPORTANT and ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

Under Instructions from the Mortgagee.

Comprising—
ELEGANT STERLING SILVER
MAGNIFICENT DRESDEN CHINA
SUPERB ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
GENUINE CROWN, DERBY, and OLD WORCESTER CHINA
MAGNIFICENT ANTIQUE BRONZES
SUPERB IVORY CARVINGS
GENUINE OIL PAINTINGS and WATER COLOURS.

GRAND COLLECTION of DIAMOND and GEM JEWELLERY, and LIBRARY of BOOKS.

As the Mortgagees' instructions are peremptory TO SELL EVERY LINE, WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE, the Auctioneers have arranged for A GRAND EXHIBITION AND DISPLAY, at their ROOMS, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, September 8th, so as to afford the public an opportunity of viewing THIS EXTRAORDINARY BEAUTIFUL COLLECTION, prior to its distribution under the hammer, on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9th, at 11 o'clock.

As this is the Second and Final Sale, SUCH A GRAND OPPORTUNITY of securing VALUABLE and USEFUL ARTICLES may never occur again IN THE SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE.

MILLS and PILE have been favoured with instructions from the Mortgagee to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, September 9, at 11 o'clock.

Descriptive Catalogues will be issued prior to day of sale.

TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

TO BUILDERS.

ANDREW ALLAN will sell by auction, at 160, Clarence-street, near King-street, on TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock.—A quantity of corrugated iron, all lengths; also Hardwood, 4 x 2, Oregon and kauri pine, battens, flooring-boards 6 x 1. Office 165, King-street. Terms cash.

G. T. CLARKE and CO., Auctioneers, Walker-street, North Shore, undertake the SALE of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE at private residences. Goods carefully catalogued by experienced assistants. Account sales rendered promptly.

On MONDAY NEXT, 5th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN, DEALERS, BROKERS, &c.

An Entirely Unreserved Sale of
CANE LOUNGES and CHAIRS
GREEN and WHITE JAPANESE BLINDS, sizes 8ft. x 6ft., 12ft. x 9ft.
WALNUT FOLDING CHAIRS
TAPESTRY CARPET, and CANVAS
PIER and CHIMNEY GLASSES
REPPS, CARPETS, RUGS,
&c., &c.

Just landed, ex Ballaarat and Tannadice.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on MONDAY NEXT, 5th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,

An extensive consignment of the above.

NO RESERVE.
Terms at Sale.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO PIANO WAREHOUSEMEN, MUSIC TEACHERS, HEADS OF FAMILIES, &c.

On TUESDAY NEXT, 6th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

Important Unreserved Sale of MAGNIFICENT WALNUT PIANOS, by GORS and KALLMANN, in Upright Grand, Cottage, Semi-Oblique, full trichord, metal key plate, patent check action

WALNUT PIANOS, by Fimon.

Also, SEVERAL FIRST-CLASS PIANOS (second-hand), being very little used.

Will be on VIEW on MONDAY and DAY of SALE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, TUESDAY next, 6th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,

A very choice collection of the above.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 7th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO FANCY GOODS and DRAPERY WAREHOUSEMEN, PERFUMERS, GROCERS, &c.

A Large and Well-assorted Shipment of Messrs. PRICE and CO.'S well-known goods in

PERFUMES, ESSENCES, SYRUPS
HAIR OILS, ASSORTED TOILET REQUISITES
FANCY SOAPS, BRUSHWARE
SARSAPARILLA, CHLORODYNE, COD LIVER OIL
SPONGES, BRUSHWARE, &c.

Just Landed, ex Amoy.

For ENTIRELY UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the Manufacturers, Messrs. PRICE and CO., London, to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY next, 7th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,

63 cases of the above goods, just landed.

NO RESERVE.

Terms at Sale.

On THURSDAY NEXT, 8th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO WAREHOUSEMEN, LINEN DRAPERS, CLOTHIERS, &c.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE of
BLEACHED and LOOM DAMASKS
DAMASK TABLE NAPKINS and CLOTHS
LINEN DIAPERS, ROUGH BROWNS
FLAX SHEETINGS, SLATE HOLLANDS, SELICIAS
MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, SHIRTS
SPRING PRINTS, PLAIN and FANCY SATTEENS
&c., &c.

Just Landed Ex SAMUEL PLIMSOLL.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the Shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY NEXT, 8th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,

A very choice consignment of the above.

Full particulars on WEDNESDAY.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, at 11.

To Fancy Goods Dealers, Hawkers, Private Buyers, &c.

UNRESERVED CLEARANCE SALE of FANCY GOODS, comprising
LADIES' BAGS, ALBUMS, PURSES
TOY BOOKS, SMOKER'S COMPANIONS, VASES
DRESSING-CASES, JEWEL BOXES, CARD BOXES
&c., &c., &c.

REYNOLDS BROS. and CO., 74, Pitt-street (near Hunter-street), have been favoured with instructions to sell the above on MONDAY, September 5, at 11 o'clock, and in the afternoon, MONDAY, at 3 p.m. sharp.

To Picture Dealers, Art Connoisseurs, Private Buyers, &c.

UNRESERVED SALE of PICTURES by well-known artists.

TUESDAY, 6th instant, at 11 a.m.

To Furniture Dealers, Furnishers, Shippers, &c., &c.

POSITIVELY UNRESERVED CLEARANCE SALE of COLONIAL and ENGLISH FURNITURE, consisting of
CHESTS of DRAWERS, TOILET TABLES, Extending Tables
WARDROBES, OFFICE DESKS, FOLDING TABLES
DINING-ROOM SUITES, DRAWING-ROOM SUITES
DINING-ROOM TABLES
APEX CHAIRS
3 Cases of AUSTRIAN CHAIRS
100 AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, with all faults.

REYNOLDS BROS. and CO., 74, Pitt-street, have received instructions to clear the above goods (WITHOUT ANY RESERVE), on TUESDAY, 6th instant, at 11 a.m.

Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 7th instant, at 11 a.m.

To Paper Merchants, Grocers, Drapers, Printers, Fruiterers, Druggists, &c.

Positively Unreserved Sale of the Balances of the two extensive Shipments of BROWN and PRINTING PAPERS, BAGS, &c., consisting of—
3½ TONS of DOUBLE IMPERIAL, in 100, 120, and 140 lb. REAMS
4½ Ditto IMPERIAL, in 50, 60, and 80 lb. REAMS
1 TON QUADRUPLE FOOLSCAP PRINTING PAPER, in 48lb. REAMS
2½ TONS Best Glazed Brown Bags, {7, 14, 28 lb. / 11, 14, 13 pels.}
½-Ton of DOUBLE CROWN, 30lb. PRINTING PAPER.

Also, ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, 40 BALES of ROYAL BERKS PATENT FELT, for putting under carpets, oilcloths, &c., to preserve them, in 60", 54", 48", 36", 30", 22" widths.

REYNOLDS BROS. and CO., 74, PITT-STREET, have received instructions to sell the above lines, WITHOUT RESERVE, on WEDNESDAY, at 11 a.m.

Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 p.m.

To Jewellers, Watchmakers, Storekeepers, and Others.

Unreserved Sale of JEWELLERY and WATCHES, consisting of
Diamond Rings, Brooches, and Scarf Pins
Gold Earrings, Brooches, Toothpicks, Pencil Cases, &c.
Gold Bracelets, Lockets, Seals, &c., &c.,
and
English Levers, English Hunters, Swiss and French Watches
Metal Hunters, Patent Levers, &c., &c.

REYNOLDS BROS. and CO., 74, PITT-STREET, will sell the above on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 p.m.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 8th instant, at 11 a.m. sharp.

To Grocers, Providores, Caterers, Storekeepers, &c., &c., &c.

EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE, UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE TRUSTEES in an ASSIGNED ESTATE of GROCERIES AND GROCERS' TIN AND IRON WARE, IN THE PRIMEST CONDITION, consisting of—
GOUDA CANDLES, PEACOCK'S JAMS, PICKLES, COFFEE
SAUCES, CURRANTS, MUSTARDS, BISCUITS
CANDLESTICKS and other Tinware, and a line of splendid Tulip Shovels.

Fuller particulars in a later issue.

NO RESERVE.

REYNOLDS BROS. and CO., 74, Pitt-street, have been favoured with instructions from the Trustees to sell the above goods, in an ASSIGNED ESTATE, on THURSDAY, at 11 a.m.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, at 11 a.m.

Under instructions from Captain HASTINGS. At his Residence, 2, BURNETT-STREET, REDFERN.

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, consisting of
CEDAR SIDEBOARD, CANE and AUSTRIAN FURNITURE
H.H. COUCH, TABLES, CARPETS, VASES
PICTURES, MIRRORS, PIER GLASSES, ORNAMENTS
CLOCK (100 YEARS OLD), BEDROOM REQUISITES, &c.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions from Captain Hastings to sell the above by auction, on the Premises, 2, Burnett-street, Redfern, TUESDAY, September 6, 11 a.m.,

WITHOUT RESERVE.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, at 11 a.m.

PRIZE POULTRY
PRIZE PIGEONS
PRIZE CANARIES, &c.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the Rooms, WEDNESDAY, September 7, at 11 a.m.,

WITHOUT RESERVE.

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Auction Sales.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

MONDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Recent Arrivals.

BOOTS and SHOES. ALL NEW and SEASONABLE GOODS.

GIRLS and WOMEN'S BOOTS, E.S., in mock kid, Levant, satinette, and mock glove kid
Children's PATENT E.S. BOOTS
Ditto Kid E.S. Boots
Ditto Kid Tie and Strap BOOTS
Ditto Kid Patent Tie and Strap BOOTS
CHILDREN'S and WOMEN'S LEVANT BOOTS
LADIES' House BOOTS
Men's KID E.S. BOOTS
Ditto Button Goloshed ditto
Ditto Kid Lace Calf Goloshed
Ditto CLOTH TOP, Enamelled and Goloshed
Ditto GLOVE KID E.S.
Ditto Glove Kid Oxford and Derby Shoes
LADIES' LASTING E.S., seam to toe
Ditto ditto, with low heels
Ditto ditto, with patent toecaps
Ditto VAMP BUTTON BOOTS
Ditto ditto Mock Glove LACE BOOTS
Ditto BOOTS, Mock Glace, E.S. seam to toe
Ditto DERBY SHOES, Mock Glove and Mock Glace
Ditto OXFORD SHOES, ditto
WOMEN'S GLACE E.S. SHOES, Mock Lace
Ditto Levant Vamps, mock buttons
Ditto GLACE BUTTON BOOTS
Ditto FRENCH KID E.S. BOOTS.

To Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, Dealers, Shippers, Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to SELL the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY NEXT, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

MONDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

150 LADIES' MACINTOSH CAPES.

To Drapers, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on MONDAY next, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

MONDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the holder of Bill of Sale.

A MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION of ARTISTS' PROOFS, ENGRAVINGS, &c., comprising

"Ellen's Isle," "Brecklyn Bridge," "Glenartney," "Brigo Turk," "Entrance to the Trossachs," "Beal Nam Bo," "Collantogle Ford," "Pass of Achray," "Stirling Castle," and "Hero's Targe, Glenfinlas," by David Law
"The Rookery," by F. Slocombe; "The Milkmaid," by J. D. Miller
"Thisbe," by Edwin Long; "Old London," by T. J. Short
"Old Thames," by W. L. Wyllie; "The Lost Boat, by R. Anderson
"Elixir of Love," by R. W. Macbeth
"View on the Thames," by B. W. Leader.

The whole of the above are mounted in oak and gold frames.

To Connoisseurs, Lovers of Fine Arts, Collectors, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been instructed to SELL the above COLLECTION of ARTISTS' PROOFS, &c., by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY NEXT, 5th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

2760 BAGS and POCKETS COLONIAL and QUEENSLAND SUGARS.

(Whites, Yellows, and Browns.)

To Merchants, Wholesale Grocers, Confectioners, Shippers, Country Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the ABOVE, BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 6th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults, if any.

50 HOGSHEADS SHARP'S FINEST PALE ALE.

The above is warehoused at Circular Quay Bond, where intending purchasers are invited to inspect.

To Wine and Spirit Merchants, Hotel Proprietors, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 6th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION, under instructions from the importers.

117 Half-boxes New Zealand Prize Medal YELLOW SOAP
12 Cases VERMICELLI and MACCARONI
4 Ditto FLAVOURING ESSENCES
1 Tank Prime ENGLISH MALT
60 Cases Pinks's MARMALADE, slightly faulty
100 Ditto Firmenich's CORNFLOUR, 1-lb. and ½-lb.
8 Ditto TRANSPARENT SOAP, each 10 gross
9 Ditto Crystallised LEMON JUICE and SUGAR
5 Ditto TINNED SHRIMPS
125 Ditto JAMS, assorted
20 Ditto Emmott's CONFECTIONERY
150 Boxes HEUMAN'S STARCH, 1-lb. boxes
100 Ditto Hoffman's WASHING POWDERS
50 Cases Stephen's VINEGAR
10 Ditto MUSTARDS
50 Ditto Morton's KIPPERED HERRINGS
75 Ditto ditto SALAD OILS
14 Ditto GOLDEN SYRUP
100 Ditto Golden DROPS
2 Ditto Bell's BREAKFAST BACON
5 Ditto Prime Indian HALF-PINT CURRY
75 Ditto Younger's REVOLVER ALE
100 Ditto Bruce's HIGHLAND WHISKY
500 Ditto Louis Meus' KEY GENEVA
500 Ditto Eugene de Lange COGNAC, 1 and 3 star
20½ Casks Louis Bechaid's PALE BRANDY
12 Cases Claude Defaye Fils, Epinay CHAMPAGNE
13½ Casks PORT and SHERRY
19 Cases STONE GIN
5 Ditto CIGARS.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Hotel Proprietors, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, on TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

CLEARANCE SALE BY AUCTION of ENGLISH and COLONIAL MADE FURNITURE, OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c. including—

PEDESTAL WRITING TABLES, in cedar, oak, and mahogany
COAL VASES, with scoops, brass-mounted
Butlers' Trays and Stands, Brackets
POLISHED BEDROOM SUITES, in ash, walnut, &c., comprising Wardrobe, Pair Toilets, Chairs, Towel-rail, and Pedestal Cupboard complete
CEDAR WARDROBES, double and single, with break fronts, &c.
PAIRS of TOILETS, in ash, walnut, &c.—Duchess, Square-shaped, &c.
Marble-top Washstands, Towel-rails, Commodes
Bedroom Chairs, cane-seated
Mirrors and Overmantels, in black and gold, walnut, &c., &c.
DRAWING ROOM SUITES, in walnut, upholstered in figured velvet, silk repp, silk and plush, &c.
CABINETS, in walnut and ebonite, with bevelled mirrors, &c.
Walnut, Occasional, Loo, Sutherland, and Card Tables, Work Tables
Ebonised and Walnut Occasional Chairs
WALNUT INLAID CHIFFONIERS, with marble tops
Carpet, Croquet, and Folding Chairs
SQUARE and ROUND WHATNOTS, Octagon Centre Tables
Gipsy Tables, Footstools, Music Canterburies
CARVED DINING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in morocco
CEDAR DINING TABLES, with spare leaves, &c.
Balustrade-top BOOKCASES in polished cedar, with plate-glass doors, enclosed cupboards, &c.
Hat and Umbrella Stands, in oak, walnut, and mahogany
KITCHEN TABLES and DRESSERS, CEDAR and PINE MEAT SAFES, &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Private Buyers generally.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to arrange the above CLEARANCE SALE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 6th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

72 CASES AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD FURNITURE (Thonet's, Hoffman's, and Turpie's).

To Furniture Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.

50 Bales 5 and 3 ply SEAMING TWINE
10 Cases Dutch and Italian COUNTER TWINES
5 ditto SHOE BRUSHES, each 50 dozen sets
2 Tons Duresco MIXED PAINTS, 2, 4, and 7 lb. tins
4 Cases KNIFE POLISH
2 ditto PLATE POWDER
18 ditto REVOLVING CLOTHES PINS
17 ditto SPRING CLOTHES PEGS
8 ditto WOOD LEMON SQUEEZERS
1 ditto FOLDING CHAIRS.

To Wholesale and Retail Ironmongers, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On Account of Whom it May Concern.

With all Faults.

Ex Confluentia, from Hamburg.

53 cases WIRE NAILS
19 packages GLOBE HORSE NAILS

Ex H. S. Sanford, Furness Abbey, and Howden.

3 Cases Sharpe's AXES
12 Ditto Collins' DITTO
1 Ditto L'Hommedieu's Ship AUGER BITS
1 Crate MAP and BRUSH HOLDERS
2 Boxes Double-pointed CARPET TACKS
1 Case Nickel-plated TRANSOME LIGHTERS.

To Wholesale and Retail Ironmongers, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under Instructions from the Consignees.

210 CASES AMERICAN CHAIRS, consisting of

Astor Grecian, Cane-seated Bedroom
Bent Bar-room, in oak
Spindle-back Grecian
Oak Office and Dining, &c., &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

SALE BY AUCTION of 30 AMERICAN BUGGIES, WAGGONS, &c., comprising

WEBSTER CARTS, open and with top
SINGLE BUGGIES, open and with top
BRACKET-FRONT TOP BUGGY, without brake
Ditto OPEN BUGGY, without brake
PIANO-BODY TOP BUGGY, with shafts
JUMP-SEAT TOP BUGGY
AMERICAN EXPRESS WAGGONS, with pole and shafts
WAGGONETTES, fitted complete
FARMERS' WAGGONS, four springs, with brakes.

To Coachbuilders, Private Gentlemen, Carriage Proprietors, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 7th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Samuel Plimsoll, from London.

112 PACKAGES CROCKERY and GLASSWARE.

DINNER WARE, White Granite, Blue and Pink Line
TOILET SETS, White Granite, White and Gold
EWERS and BASINS, Jugs, Chambers
WHITE and GOLD ASSORTED WARE

TUMBLERS.

WINES, Sherries, Ports, Champagnes, Green and Ruby Hocks, Water Bottles and Ups, Comports, &c., &c., &c.

To Glass and China Dealers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above, BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY next, 8th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SPLENDID DISPLAY and ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION of 80 PACKAGES JAPANESE, ANTIQUE, and MODERN ART PRODUCTIONS.

Ex S.S. TANNADICE, from Hongkong.

THIS REGAL SHIPMENT includes VERY INTERESTING RARE CURIOS and ART OBJECTS of UNEQUALLED GRANDEUR and of the MOST COSTLY CHARACTER.

The whole forming a SPECIAL SELECTION, made by Mr. J. NUMASHIMA, Yokohama.

The Collection comprises, in the leading lines, SPLENDID EXAMPLES OF COREAN WARE.

SILVER and BRONZE WARES.

Cressets, Lanterns, Lamps, Artistic Bronzes in sets
Jewel Caskets, Cigar Stands, Jars, Gourds, Vases, Bowls, &c.
Inlaid Gold and Silver Vases of most elaborate description.

JAPANESE WICKERWORK, Jars, Caskets, Covers, Forte Cigars, &c.

CARVINGS IN WOOD.

Lamp Chandeliers, Flambeaux, Candlesticks
LARGE-SIZED ORNAMENTAL SCREENS, INLAID GOLD, PEARLS, SILVER, IVORY, &c.

GEORGEOUSLY EMBELLISHED JAPANESE VASES, in

Awata, Kioto, Bishin, Risen, Imari
Kishiu, finest Satsuma, Cloisonne, Kaga
Awaji, Seiji, Real Bronzes, Antique Bronzes
Inlaid Bronzes, Inlaid Metals, Bamboo, Terra Cotta &c.

FINEST CARVED DARK WOOD CABINETS OF EXTRA-LARGE SIZE, beautifully decorated with ivory and shell inlays.

MAGNIFICENT CARVED IVORY, &c.

Ivory Spill Vases, with stands
Figures and Stands, elaborately carved and wrought
Pagoda Structures, Sanpans, and Grotesque Objects
Simian Figures, Fans, Perfumes, Holders, &c.
Ornaments in Ivory, of marvellous beauty.

ORIENTAL PORCELAIN and EARTHENWARE.

Tea and Dejeuner Services, in sets of 3, 5, 7, and 15 pieces
Oriental Cups, Toilet Boxes, Sucrieres, Water Pots
Lamp Stand Bowls, Plates, Dishes, Covers, &c.
Satsuma Koro Jars, Bowls.

SILK and SILK EMBROIDERIES.

Cushion Tops, Squares, Tablecovers, Counterpanes
Curtains, Fans, Pincushions, Photo. Frames
Handkerchiefs, Watchholders, Wall Pockets, &c.
Morning Wrappers, Tea Gowns, Smoking Coats, Coverlets, &c.

BAMBOO WARES.

Cigar Holders, Caskets in sets, Card Receivers, Covers of Jars
Cake Baskets, Fans, Thread-winders, &c.
Carved Spills
JAPANESE OLD and NEW TOYS
SHITAN CABINETS, FANS
Ash Trays, Bamboo Carvings
Images, Statuettes, Deities in bronze
Japanese Armour, Swords, Helmets, Trumpets
Best Carved Bamboo Sticks
SILK EMBROIDERED SCREENS, three and four fold
EMPRESS VASES, INSIGNE, CRACKLEWARE
Koro Jars, Fret Screens, Sets of Brackets
Firegrate Fans, Gold and Silvered Bordered Screens
Fans and Lanterns, in great variety
JAPANESE MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, Banjos, Kettledrums, Flutes, &c.

To Trade Buyers, Art Collectors, Curio Dealers, Silk Mercers, Fancy Repositories, Jewellers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from Mr. J. NUMASHIMA TO SELL the above MAGNIFICENT SHIPMENT of JAPANESE ART PRODUCTIONS at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY NEXT, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES are in course of preparation, and may be obtained at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS.

ON VIEW, THURSDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Consignees, Ex Alice Platt, from London.

25 PACKAGES IRONMONGERY, TINWARE, BRASSFOUNDRY, &c., consisting of

TILL LOCKS, Bench Vices, Compasses, Horse Brushes
FINISHING NAILS, Tool Boxes, Curtain Bands
BRACES and BITS, Carpenter's Pincers, Matheson's Braces
POCKET KNIVES, Razors, Scissors, Gimblets
HAMMERS, Adzes, Drawing Knives, Choppers
Mincing Knives, Ferrier's Tools, Rim Locks
Rivets, Drawback Locks, Corkscrews, Wood taps
RACKING COCKS
Range, Bib, stop, and Main Cocks
Ward and Payne's and Marshall's Sheep Shears
SADDLERY, Bits, Bridles
ENAMELLED SAUCEPANS, Basins, Pie Dishes
Ditto Fryingpans, Ladles, Plates
TINNED SAUCEPANS, Wash Basins, Baking Pans
Ditto Dishes, Pudding Pans, Patty Pans.
BRASSFOUNDERY.
Spirit Levels, Boxwood Rules,
COPPER, JAPANNED TRUNKS, &c., &c.

To Wholesale and Retail Cutlers, Ironmongers, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at Eleven o'clock a.m.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

On the Premises, TILNEY-TERRACE, 149, FORBES-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising

ROSEWOOD DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in figured silk
BLACK and GOLD PIER-GLASS, bevelled plates and side shelves
Walnut-shaped Whatnot, Oval, Centre, and Card Tables
Bohemian and Dresden China Ornaments, Italian Marble Statuettes
Tapestry Carpets and Hearthrugs, Tapestry Curtains, Brass Cornice Poles and Rings
MAHOGANY DINING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in Maroon Morocco
Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard, fitted complete
Bright Steel Fender and Fireirons
Glassware, China, Electroplated Ware, Cutlery
Fourpost, Single, and Double Bedsteads
Wirewove and Wood Spring Mattresses
Cedar Chests of Drawers, Dressing Tables, and Washstands
Sets of Toilet Ware, Japanned Ware, &c.
Kitchen and Laundry Requisites, &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to SELL the ABOVE BY AUCTION, on the Premises, TILNEY-TERRACE, 149, FORBES-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO, on WEDNESDAY next, 7th September, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 3 p.m.

123 Lots Unredeemed Pledges, Clothing, Watches, &c.; also Fern Trees, Staghorn and Birds' Nests, Ferns, and Household Furniture of every description.

DONALDSON and CO. will sell, as above, at the Lion Arcade, 182, King-street, Newtown.
No Reserve.
N.B.—Out sales done at half usual charges. Cash paid same day.

G. B. BROWN is instructed to sell by public auction, THIS AFTERNOON, September 3rd, at 2.30, at 54, Cottenham-street, Glebe Point, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, consisting of First-class piano, by Brinsmead, D.R. suite, baby's swinging cot, S. machine, music-box, chairs, tables, &c. Without reserve.

THIS DAY, at 3 p.m., at Rampant Lion Auction Mart, Church-street, Newtown, Special consignments Household Furniture, &c., 100 lots.

JOHN I. ASPINALL will sell by auction, as above.

On MONDAY, 5th instant, at 11 sharp.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers and Storekeepers.

EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

TEAS, in Half and Boxes; JAMS and PRESERVES
PICKLES, SAUCES, VINEGAR
PRESERVED FRUITS, MUSCATELS
ELEME RAISINS, MACCARONI, VERMICELLI
HAIR OILS, COFFEE and MILK, SOUPS
PIPES, in Gross Boxes; TOBACCO, CIGARS
MASON'S CELEBRATED EXTRACTS, including Gingerale, Foamine, Lemonine, Ciderine, Horehound, Limejuice, Sarsaparilla, Dandelion, &c., &c.
London Mixtures, Peppermints, and Favourite Sweets, &c., &c.

KELLETT and ALFORD invite the attention of the trade to their sale of the above, at their Rooms, 14, Barrack-street, Next MONDAY, at 11 sharp.

Liberal terms, and no reserve.

IMPORTANT SALE.

In Liquidation of a Partnership Estate.

NEXT TUESDAY, at 11 sharp.

DRAPERY and CLOTHING BOOTS and SHOES.

Without any Reserve.

KELLETT and ALFORD invite the attention of city and country buyers to their unreserved sale, at their Rooms, 14, Barrack-street, next TUESDAY, at 11 sharp, including

PRINTS, CAMBRICS, DRILLETTES
HOLLANDS, DIAPERS, MUSLINS
GREY CALICOS and SHEETINGS, TWILL SHEETINGS
QUILTS, TOILET TOWELS, TAPESTRIES
HOSIERY, LACE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES
TWEEDS, COATINGS, GAMBROONS
COTTON SHIRTS and SHIRTINGS, WOOL SHIRTS
UNDERCLOTHING, JERSEY JACKETS, STAYS, &c., &c.

And a Stock of Superior BOOTS and SHOES, including 450 Pairs Manufacturers' Samples.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

IMPORTANT SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the RESIDENCE OF SIGNOR STEFFANI, No. 100, HUNTER-STREET, NEAR MACQUARIE-STREET, on THURSDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m. (OWING TO HIS RELINQUISHING HOUSEKEEPING) of the WHOLE of the SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and the LARGE COLLECTION of CHOICE OIL PAINTINGS, Australian Coast Scenery, Views Middle Harbour, Continental Views, and Figure Subjects.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from Signor Steffani, who is relinquishing housekeeping, to sell by auction, at his residence, No. 100, Hunter-street, on THURSDAY, 22nd September, at 11 a.m.,
THE WHOLE OF HIS SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and LARGE COLLECTION OF CHOICE OIL PAINTINGS.

. Catalogues will be duly prepared.

WEDNESDAY, September 7, at 11 o'clock.

STOCK-IN-TRADE OF A CLOTHIER AND OUTFITTER.

Removed to the Rooms for the convenience of sale.

MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, SHIRTS, HATS, HOSIERY, MERCERY, UMBRELLAS, TENTS, TARPAULINS, BEDDING.

IMPORTANT TO THE TRADE.

EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE OF NEW SPRING GOODS.

To be sold in Trade Lines Only.

Millinery, Laces, Ribbons, Gloves, Costumes
Pinafores, Aprons, Scarfs, Ladies' Linen Sets
Dress Goods, Prints, Sateens, Stays, Haberdashery
Hosiery, Mercery, Shirts, Hats, Ties, Braces
Hollands, Silesias, Grey and White Calicoes
Curtains, Window Nets, Ladies' Underclothing
Men's and Boys' Superior Ready-made Clothing
Manchester Goods, Furnishing Drapery
MEN'S and BOYS' SOFT and HARD FELT HATS (black and coloured)
Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.

Terms, liberal, at sale.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY, September 7, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

Full particulars at sale.

CHOICE FURNITURE.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.

UNRESERVED SALE of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, on the Premises, PENKIVIL-STREET, WAVERLEY, close to Council-chambers.

OATLEY and CAHILL have been favoured with instructions from F. G. Singleton, Esq. (who is leaving the colony), to sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY next, commencing at 11.30 o'clock, the whole of his valuable FURNITURE and EFFECTS, consisting of

First-class piano
Drawing-room suite
Pier glass, chiffoniers, whatnots, &c.
Bedroom suites
Bedsteads, with spring mattresses
Chests of drawers
Dining-room suite, in leather
Sideboards, chairs, tables, &c.
Carpets, pictures, cutlery
Glassware, chinaware, &c.
Carpets, kitchen utensils, &c.

The Auctioneers beg to draw the attention of parties furnishing that the furniture is very choice, and nearly all new.

OATLEY and CAHILL, Auctioneers, 190, Elizabeth-street.

SPECIAL SALE of BALMAIN PROPERTIES on the GROUND, THIS AFTERNOON, by GARRARD and HAMILTON.

At 3.15 p.m.
GROVE-STREET, opposite Reserve.—Brick HOUSE, 4 rooms, kitchen, hall, &c. Land, 30 x 90. Title, freehold.

At 3.45 p.m.
ROWNTREE-STREET, near Curtis-road.—An Allotment of LAND, 30 x 66. Title, freehold. Splendid situation.

At 4 p.m.
BOOTH-STREET, opposite Gladstone Park.—W. B. COTTAGE, 4 rooms, hall, &c. Land, 30 x 100. Also Allotment at rear, 30 x 100. Title, leasehold. Ground rent 2s 6d per week. Let at 13s per week.

At 4.15 p.m.
NELSON-STREET, near Evans-street.—Lot 20, having 30 feet to Nelson-street, by a depth of 100 feet, with a quantity of building stone. Title, Torrens'. Easy terms.

Full particulars at sale, or from the Auctioneers, 4, Montague-street, Balmain, and 122A, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

THIS DAY, at 3.
At the NEWTOWN MARKETS, NEWTOWN.
As usual, a lot of FURNITURE, comprising
BEDSTEADS, BEDDING, DRAWERS, TABLES
Washstands and Ware, Carpets, Cedar Safes
Couches, 1 Suite in rep, solid rosewood frames
Austrian Chairs, &c., &c.
CARTAGE FREE AFTER THE SALE.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell at 3, as above.
CARTAGE Free after the Sale.
Consignments well managed. CASH AT ONCE.
OUTSALES DONE CHEAPLY. CASH ADVANCED.
Address—E. FRENCH, Auctioneer, Newtown Markets.

On MONDAY, at 3.
At the NEWTOWN MARKETS, NEWTOWN.
DRAPERY and CLOTHING
SUNDRIES and FURNITURE
CUTLERY, &c., &c.
NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.
CONSIGNMENTS Managed. Cash at Once.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell as above.
Office—Newtown Markets.

THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock.
In the Insolvent Estate of JACOB LUCK.

J. T. RILEY and CO. will sell by auction, under instructions from the Official Assignee, at their Rooms, 325, Pitt-street, next Y.M.C.A., the whole of the Stock of the above Estate, comprising Broadcloths, tweeds, household furniture, &c.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, at the City Mart, at 11 o'clock,
New Clipper Ketch AUSTRALIAN, 16 tons.

The prettiest toy in the harbour of Port Jackson.

WILL MAKE MONEY in ANY TRADE. Well-found in every respect.

INSPECTION INVITED.

By order of the owner.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction,
As above,
The new ketch AUSTRALIAN, lately built by Merritt, of Brisbane Water.
A really smart little craft.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, at the City Mart, at 11 o'clock, the Clipper Barque JOHN KNOX, well-known in the New Zealand trade.

This smart vessel is in excellent order throughout, will carry 360 tons coal, or 210,000 feet timber.
May be inspected
Discharging above bridge (Allen and Walker's Wharf).

ABSOLUTE SALE by order of the OWNER.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars at Rooms.

Inspection invited on board.

WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER.

Queensland and River Sugar
Groceries
Oilmen's Stores
Tinned Fruits
Elemes, Lager Beer
Whisky, Wines
Provisions, &c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock.

CLEARANCE SALE. EXPIRATION OF LEASE.
316, CASTLEREAGH-STREET, near Liverpool-street, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, at 11 o'clock.
The ENTIRE STOCK OF BUILDER'S YARD.
Wrought-iron LATTICE ROOF, 100 x 26 feet, complete
Cast-iron WATER TROUGHS, WATERING-CART
Iron Chains, Pulleys, Blocks, Rope
KITCHEN RANGES, REGISTER GRATES, OVENS
Ton WEIGHING MACHINE, 20 Boxes Wire Nails
1400 Sheets of first-class CORRUGATED IRON
Firebricks, Turned Pickets, Sawn Laths
GATE-POSTS, GIRDERS, JOISTS, RAFTERS, STUDS
H. W., T. and G. FLOORING, PANEL DOORS
Box Frames and Sashes, Signboards
5ft. TURN-TABLE, Gas and Water Pipes, Ladders
Useful Sundries of great variety.

T. PHILLIPS has received instructions to sell the whole of the above by public auction, on the Premises, 316, Castlereagh-street, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.
TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

Auction Offices—50, ENMORE-ROAD, NEWTOWN.
Outdoor Sales Conducted with Despatch.

To BUTCHERS, DEALERS, &c.
MONDAY, at 11 o'clock, at Bourke-street, near Oxford-street.
GOODWILL and FITTINGS of BUTCHER'S SHOP
3 Blocks, 3 Sets Brass Scales, Salting Tables, Pumps
LARGE SAUSAGE MACHINE and FILLER
3 CARTS, 2 HORSES, HARNESS, SADDLE, &c.
Hooks, Bars, Swivels, Cleavers, Butchers' Tools
A QUANTITY of SALT PORK and BEEF;
Also,
PIANOFORTE, by Metzler, Sideboard, Glass, China
Austrian Chairs, Tables, Ornaments, Pier Glass
Chests Drawers, Bedsteads, Washstands, Glasses, Carpet
Washing Copper, Cooking Range, Dresser, Kitchen Utensils, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and SON have been instructed to sell by auction, on the premises,
The whole of the above, without reserve.

In the Assigned Estate of ROBERT VINCENT.
TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock, at Oxford-street, Paddington, opposite Public school,
Stock of Colonial Wines, Fruit, Confectionery, Tobacconists' Goods, Show-glasses, Scales.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Wooden Building, with galvanised iron roof.

To Wine Dealers, Tobacconists, Confectioners, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and SON have been instructed by the trustee in the above estate to sell by auction, on the premises.
The whole of the above, without reserve.

To Private Buyers, Parties Furnishing, &c.

FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock sharp.

At DARLING HOUSE, No. 46, LOWER FORT-STREET.

In consequence of the proprietress giving up housekeeping.

IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED SALE of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising
Handsome Drawing-room Suite
Cedar Sideboard, with cellarettes complete
Superior Bookcase, Linoleum
Dining-room Suite, Carpets
Overmantels, Plated Ware, Glassware
Cutlery, Chests of Drawers
The Contents of Five (5) Bedrooms
Kitchen Utensils, Lot Sundries.

J. G. FLEMING and SONS have received instructions to sell the above by auction,
Without reserve.

Auctioneers, 54, Park-street.

TUESDAY, 13th September.

TOWN and COUNTRY PROPERTIES.

By order of the Mortgagees.

POSITIVE ABSOLUTE SALE.

BAKER'S BUSINESS PREMISES and RESIDENCE.

BRICK-BUILT COTTAGE RESIDENCE.

COUNTRY LANDS FOR ORCHARD OR HOMESTEAD.

BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

JOHN TAYLOR has been instructed by the mortgagees to sell by public auction, at his Real Property Sale Rooms, Church-street, Parramatta, on TUESDAY, 13th September, at 11 o'clock,
The following valuable properties:—

Lot 1. Bakery and residence, known as the property of Mr. R. Rowe, situate on the Old Prospect-road, not far from the main Western-road, on the hill opposite the residence of A. T. Smart, Esq., J.P., Greystanes, and within a short distance from the grand fresh water reservoir, the Prospect Water Works.
The building is a brick-built verandah cottage, 4 rooms, hall, and attached wood-built spare room, kitchen, pantry, and storeroom; a brick-built room, shop front, with large bakehouse and ovens at rear, also stables and sheds; two brick underground tanks.
The land attached has an area of six acres, all enclosed with palisading and close fence. Portion of the ground is planted with fruit trees and vines.
The distance from Parramatta to the property is under six miles. Purchasers can have easy terms of payment.

Lot 2. Brick-built verandah COTTAGE, of four rooms and hall, situate on the west-side of Wigram-street, Harris Park, near Marion-street, and known as Mr. T. Castle's property, and now occupied by Mr.
Ground frontage to Wigram-street is 31ft. 6in., by a depth of 128 feet to a lane at rear of 10 feet wide.
Properties situated at a short distance from the Harris Park railway platform.

Lot 3. Eight acres two roods and 28 perches of most excellent LAND, and occupying a very elevated and charming position, fronting Binalong road, Toongabbee Estate, 10 minutes' walk from Wentworthville railway station, Western railway line. Terms very liberal.

Lot 4. Corner block of LAND, Pennant and Macarthur streets, near the new bridge in George-street; frontage to Pennant-street 103 feet, by a depth to Macarthur-street of 119 feet.

TITLES GOOD. TERMS EASY.

Particulars, cards, and plans on application to the Auctioneer.

JOHN TAYLOR, Parramatta.

On account of whom it may concern.

THIS DAY, at 10 sharp.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at the New Zealand Restaurant, No. 27, Erskine-street,
Austrian chairs, tables, e.p. cruets, glass and china, bedsteads and bedding.
Terms—Net cash on fall of hammer.

To Members of the Medical Profession, Botanists, Librarians, and Specimen Collectors.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have received instructions from the proprietor, who is leaving the colony, TO SUBMIT TO PUBLIC COMPETITION, on the PREMISES, 100, LIVERPOOL-STREET, 3 DOORS EAST OF GEORGE-STREET.
The WHOLE of the HOUSEHOLD effects, which are almost equal to new.
Sterling silver and electroplate, travelling cases, and sundries
About
330 VOLUMES of Pharmaceutical Literature, invaluable to the chemist and druggist; botanical, medical, religious, and other books
Bentley and Trimen's Medicinal Plants, with 300 coloured illustrations
British Pharmaceutical Journal, complete from commencement, 43 volumes
2 Herbaria
Botanical specimens
British plants
Chemist's ruby street lamp, superior quality, &c., &c., &c.

To be Sold without Reserve.

TERMS, CASH.

CATALOGUES can be obtained from the Auctioneers.
On VIEW on MONDAY and Morning of Sale.

BUILDING MATERIALS.
WEDNESDAY, September 7, at 11 o'clock, on the premises, RAILWAY PIER HOTEL, corner of PIER and LACKEY STREETS, Darling Harbour.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. are instructed by the owner to sell by public auction, on the premises,
Galvanised iron shed
2-story brick building of 5 rooms
Large Russell's stove, copper, stand, and sundries.
Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, Saturday, at 10 o'clock.
Drawing-room Suites, H. Hair Suites, Organ
Austrian Furniture, Pier-glass, Hall Stands
M.S. Walnut Sideboards, P.G. backs and doors
Walnut Centre, Loo, Dining, and other Tables
Writing-desks, Barber's Chairs, Linoleum
Bedroom Suite, consisting of Wardrobe, Chest of Drawers, Pair Toilets, 2 Chairs, Toilet Glass, &c.
Duchesse Toilets, 3-wing Cedar Wardrobes
Single and Double Half-tester, 4-post, and Stump Bedsteads
Cedar Chests of Drawers, Washstand and Sets
Dresser, Crockery, Glassware, Kitchen Utensils, and Sundries.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, Household furniture.

TO DEALERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, and others.
THIS DAY, September 3, at 2.30 p.m.

SAUNDERS and CO. have been favoured with instructions from Mr. John Mackenzie, to sell by public auction on his Premises, 136, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills, the whole of the superior Household Furniture and Effects, comprising couches chairs, dining and other tables, cheffonier, pier glasses, oleographs, clocks, ornaments, lamps, electro plate, glass, china and earthenware, kitchen requisites, cooking utensils, &c., double and single bedsteads, palliasses, toilet tables, sets of toilet ware, dressing tables and glasses, chests of drawers, carpeting, oilcloth, &c.
Terms, cash. No reserve.

UNDER DISTRAINT FOR RENT.
To Furniture Dealers and Others.

LENEHAN and CO. will sell by auction, at 637, George-street, Haymarket, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 10 o'clock sharp, the furniture, &c., of a large restaurant.
20 marble-top tables, 100 cane and other chairs, 20 cruets, 25 pictures, 35 bedsteads and bedding, 30 washstands and ware, looking glasses, sofas, drawers, large cooking range, cooking utensils, coppers, glassware, crockery, &c., &c.
Office, 41, Goulburn and George streets.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
BUILDING MATERIALS.

LENEHAN and CO. will sell by auction at Elisabeth-street, near King-street, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock,
A GRAND LOT OF BUILDING MATERIALS.
200,000 good bricks, 200 sheets corrugated iron, a large quantity of timber, &c.

UNPLANED SUGAR PINE and REDWOOD SKIRTINGS, ex Mariposa, from San Francisco.

THE NEW ZEALAND LOAN and MERCANTILE COMPANY, Limited, will sell by auction at their Bridge-street Stores, on MONDAY, September 5, at 3 punctually,
7,500ft. 1¼in. unplaned sugar pine
84,000ft. redwood skirtings, assorted.

LEAVING PREMISES.
Cabinetmaker's Cramps and Screws, Milliner's Window Stands, &c., Furniture (new and second-hand), Palliasses, Mattresses, Pillows, Window Sashes, Fancy Goods, Millinery, Bed Linen, Brackets, Castors, Locks, and Ironmongery, and Sundries.

R. H. PALMER will sell by auction, on the premises, 77, George-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, September 3, at 3 o'clock, as above. Terms cash.

F. L. BARKER will sell by auction, at his Stores, at 9.30, Horns, bones, &c.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Saturday, the 3rd instant, at 10 o'clock sharp,
Butchers' green sheepskins. Terms, cash.

TRADE NOTICE.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell, at Homebush, on MONDAY, 5th September.
140 prime fat cattle, for Jas. Hammond, Esq., Tenham
140 ditto ditto, for Messrs. Ellis and Son, Woodstock
1500 ditto ditto sheep, for Messrs. C. B. Fisher and Co., Noondoo
1500 ditto ditto ditto, for F. Larnach and Co., Trangie
1200 ditto ditto ditto, for Mrs. Perry, Marebone.

FAT STOCK for MONDAY'S SALE.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by public auction, at the Homebush Sale Yards, on MONDAY, the 5th instant, at 11 o'clock,
265 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Armytage and Powell, Thargomindah
500 prime fat sheep, for Western agents.

FAT CATTLE and SHEEP.

Homebush, MONDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY will sell by auction, as above,
160 prime fat cattle, for Mr. Wm. Saunders
150 ditto ditto, for Mr. Jas. Withycombe
140 ditto ditto, for Messrs. J. and W. Christian
117 ditto ditto, ex s.s. Laurence
500 ditto ditto sheep, for Mr. Jas. M'Carthy
300 ditto ditto, for Southern Agents
100 ditto ditto, for Mr. Poidevin
100 ditto ditto, for Mr. P. Dwyer.

WILKINSON and LAVENDER will sell, at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, on MONDAY, 5th instant, at usual hours.
38 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. G. Scarfe and Co., rail Bourke
500 prime fat sheep, for R. Hodnett and Co., rail Bourke; and
500 prime fat sheep for R. Hodnett, Esq., rail Bourke.

STORE CATTLE FOR SALE.

THE UNION MORTGAGE and AGENCY CO. of AUSTRALIA, Limited, have in their hands for SALE, over FOUR THOUSAND head of store cattle, travelling in Queensland towards New South Wales, in FOUR LOTS.
Full particulars may be obtained by writing to Box 125, G. P. O., or by application at their office, No. 35, Bligh-street.

CHAFF. CHAFF. CHAFF.

MONDAY NEXT, HALF-PAST 11 O'CLOCK, on HUDDART, PARKER, and CO.'S WHARF, Margaret-street.

GEORGE WELLS will sell by auction, on MONDAY NEXT, half-past 11 o'clock, on Huddart, Parker, and Co.'s Wharf.
Ex COLAC, from Adelaide:
312 bags prime Adelaide chaff, marked H
2 bales ditto ditto, ditto, ditto H
910 bags ditto ditto ditto, ditto H over 7
80 ditto ditto ditto ditto, ditto O O
944 ditto ditto ditto ditto, ditto X
108 ditto ditto ditto ditto, blue H
333 ditto ditto ditto ditto, red D
875 ditto ditto ditto ditto, D. and Company
400 ditto ditto ditto ditto, O
4464 ditto ditto ditto ditto, various brands.

The Auctioneer calls the particular attention of Omnibus and Cab Proprietors, Dealers, and Livery Stable Keepers to the above sale, as every line is cut from pure oaten and wheaten hay, and is specially cut for this market.

TERMS AT SALE.

GEORGE WELLS, Auctioneer, 197, Sussex-street.

To Heavy Carriers, Draymen, and others.

TEN EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDINGS.

For SALE, at WILLIAM INGLIS and CO.'S BAZAAR, TUESDAY, 6th instant.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. Monie and Co., railway contractors, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, on TUESDAY next, September 6th instant, at 12 o'clock,
10 EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDINGS, subject to trial, advised as being a really first-class lot, in hard corn-fed condition, and fit for immediate work, and only parted with owing to the contractors' completion of 4th section Illawarra railway contract.

25 UPPER HUNTER RIVER DISTRICT HORSES, direct from the breeder.

For SALE, at CAMPERDOWN, TUESDAY, 6th instant.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from A. W. Blaxland, Esq., Cullingral, Merriwa, to sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, on TUESDAY next, September 6th instant, at 2.30 p.m.,
25 HORSES, direct from the breeder, broken and unbroken, in ages 3 and 4 years, consisting of active and heavy draughts and upstanding well-bred horses, suited for all kinds of light harness work.
The draught portion are by Jack's the Lad, the light by The Cripple, by Kelpie (imp.), and General Grant, by President Grant, American trotting stallion (imp.), and are advised as a really first-class lot.

WATER Frontages, £30 Acre, adjoining Blocks £12 10s Acre, Perth. Splendid spec. Plans and reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and other reliable gentlemen. Don't fail call. GARRARD and HAMILTON, 122A, Elizabeth-st.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

30 HUNGARIAN, SHETLAND, and EXMOOR PONIES.

PERIODICAL SEASON SALE of CHILDREN'S PONIES, from Mr. JOHN BENNETT'S Brush Farm Stud, to take place at WILLIAM INGLIS and CO.'S BAZAAR TUESDAY NEXT, September 6th instant, at 2.30 p.m.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. JOHN BENNETT, of Brush Farm, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on TUESDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 6th instant, at 2.30 p.m.,
A CHOICE LOT of CHILDREN'S PONIES, the first batch of the season from the noted Brush Farm Pony Stud.

These ponies are the produce of the imported Hungarian ponies Bonnie Charlie, World's Wonder, and other prize pony sires from choice pony mares.
They have all been carefully broken in for children to ride, are well mannered, quiet, and docile, and fit for immediate use, and include a very handsome and well-matched pair, and comprise as follows:—

1. JACK, bay pony, by World's Wonder
2. FRANK, ditto, ditto
3. STELLA, dappled filly pony, by Bonnie Charlie
4. RUFUS, brown ditto, ditto ditto
5. TRIFLE, cream ditto, ditto ditto
6. QUICKSILVER, brown ditto, ditto Sir Thomas
7. ORIENT, cream ditto, ditto Bonnie Charlie
8. HAMLET, black ditto, ditto World's Wonder
9. OTHELLO, ditto ditto, ditto ditto
10. CHARMER, cream ditto, ditto Bonnie Charlie
11. MODEL, cream ditto, broken to saddle and harness
12. TOM, dappled cream ditto, ditto Bonnie Charlie. (The best saddle and harness pony in Australia)
13. FAIRY, bay pony filly, by Merlin
14. GEM, bay ditto ditto, ditto World's Wonder
15. KETTLE, black ditto mare, ditto ditto
16. FERRET, black mare, great trotter in saddle and harness
17. DOT, bay pony
18. DIAMOND, bay filly
19. SPLASH } Pair cream ponies, thoroughly broken to ride
20. DASH } and drive, accustomed to run together.

The above will be on view at the Bazaar on MONDAY Next, the day prior to sale.
The imported Hungarian pony Bonnie Charlie, the sire of most of the above, is now on view at the Bazaar. Parties wishing to book mares for the coming season may obtain full particulars from the Auctioneers.

TO HEAVY CARRIERS, DRAYMEN, VANMEN, COACH and OMNIBUS PROPRIETORS, and OTHERS.

FIFTY HUNTER RIVER HORSES.

FOR SALE AT CAMPERDOWN, TUESDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 6th instant.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. JAMES SPRATT, Merriwa, Hunter River, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on TUESDAY next, September 6th instant, at 2.30 p.m.,
FIFTY HORSES, comprising heavy and active draughts, and upstanding well-bred horses, broken and unbroken, in ages 4 to 6 years, suitable for heavy carrying, van, 'bus, cab and other light harness work.
Advised as a really first-class lot, and in grand condition, and fit for immediate work.

SADDLE and HARNESS MARE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mrs. George Hill to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY NEXT, at 12 o'clock,
A bay mare, thoroughly quiet in saddle and harness and stand tram, can be highly recommended.

A. J. C. SPRING MEETING.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary of the A. J. C. to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, the 12th instant, at 12 o'clock,
The right to the entrance gate St. Leger Reserve, booths, &c., for above meeting, to be held at Randwick on 17, 20, 22, and 24th September.

PURE-BRED IMPORTED ESSEX PIGS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from M. K. Smith, Esq., Woodlands, Southern line, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY NEXT, 6th instant, at 1 o'clock,
10 head of pure-bred Essex pigs, comprising imported boars and sows from Lord Western's famous Essex stud. This breed is fast coming into favour in Australia, and promises to surpass all other kinds, Berkshire included; also, a small draft of pure "Magie" Poland China pigs, from the same breeder.

General Merchandise

TRAVELLERS BY SEA AND LAND.

JOHN BRUSH, SON, and CO., having completed their extensive alterations, invite special attention to their large and well-selected stock of PORTMANTEAUS, BAGS, TRUNKS, FITTED BAGS and CASES, SATCHELS, WRITING FOLIOS, PURSES, RUG STRAPS, WALLETS.

STATE ROOM and CABIN TRUNKS, regulation sizes.

Manufacturers and Importers of every description of SADDLERY and HARNESS.

466 and 468, GEORGE-STREET (opposite Royal Hotel), and 62, York-street.

LADIES' Wire Dress Stands for draping dresses on, with expanding skirt and bust. Eastway Bros., 411, George-st.

WHY be without fish? Our improved Fish Traps will keep you always in fresh fish. Eastway Bros.

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OLD TOM—Thomson's, Cowan's
GENEVA—Nolet, 4 gallons
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WHISKIES—Dunville's, Thomson's, Thom and Cameron's, Robin's Methusaleh, Cream of the North, National Own Brand, Lochiel, Emerald Irish, Scotland Yet, Helm Brand, Sarsfield, Special Cream, Higgins's, Barley Bree, Lochmaben, Glasgow Cream, Bannockburn, &c., quarters and cases and octaves
SHERRIES—Port Wine, all qualities, case and quarters
CHAMPAGNES—Perinet, Dry Sillery, and medium qualities
CLARET—St. Julien, St. Estephe, and others
GINGER WINE (Thompson's), Quinine Wine, Cherry Brandy, Kimmel; Raspberry Balm, Cordial, and Vinegar; Limejuice, Limejuice Cordial, Ginger, Liqueurs, Corry's Ginger Ale, Champagne Cider
WALNUTS, S.S. Almonds, Barcelona Nuts
ARROWROOT (Queensland), Baking Powder, Blacking, Blue, Candles (5-medal), Dutch Cheese, Cocoa, Chocolate, Confectionery (Keiller's), Cornflour (Polson's), Curry, Bleached Ginger, Groats, Capers, Maizena, Hams and Bacon (N. Z.), Gelatine, Linseed Meal, Liquorice (Grasso), B. and M. Vestas, Dairymaid Milk, Mustard (Keen's), Oils (salad, castor, hair, kerosene), Split and Blue Peas, Pepper, Rice, Sago, Salt (jar, fine, and coarse), Devilled Ham, Carraway Seed, Soap, Soap Powders, Starch, Sugar (all qualities), Spice, Canary Seed, Treacle, Petit Pois, Vermicelli and Macaroni, Vinegar (in bulk and case), Sauce and Pickles, Oatmeal (Ritchie's), Nutmegs, Pearl Barley, Biscuits, Acetic Acid, Alum, Bluestone, Cream Tartar, Epsom Salts, Essences (½oz. bottles), Carb. Soda, Soda Crystals, Sulphur, Saltpetre, Tart. Acid.
CURRANTS—Elemes, Preserved Ginger, Honey (American), Lemon Peel, Assorted Peel, Muscatels, Valencias, Johnson's and Keiller's Jams, Jelly, Marmalade.
TEAS—Half-chests and Boxes, all qualities.
HOPS—Tasmanian, New Zealand, English Malt.
FISH—Herrings (red, white, fresh, and kippered), Fin. Haddocks, Sardines, Salmon, Mackerel (in oil), Oysters, Ling, Lobsters, Codfish
BLASTING CARTRIDGES, Fire-clay Sinks, Lubricating Oil, Turps, Pitch, Morewood's Brassed Goods, Summerlee Pig Iron, Asphalte Damp Course, Fire Bricks, Anti-friction Grease, Black Sheet Iron, Galvanised Iron, White Lead, Sheet Lead, Wire Nails, Paints (all colours), Boiled Oil, Sheathing and Hair Felt, Tar, Tin Plates, Whiting, Fencing Wire, Bags (three bushel), Seaming and Counter Twine, Flax, Clothes Lines, Fishing Nets, Clay Pipes, Clothes Pegs, Bath Bricks, Knife Polish, Floorcloth, and Linoleum.
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Tenders.

BOROUGH OF PORTLAND, VICTORIA.

TENDERS, addressed to the Mayor of the Borough of Portland, Victoria, will be received up to noon of TUESDAY, the 6th September proximo, for a Cargo (in one bottom) 200 Tons Newcastle A. A. Company's Coals, to be delivered free of all charges at the west end receiving Shed, Portland Wharf, not later than the 31st October next.
Production of the pit certificate imperative.
Bags to be provided by the Borough Council.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Separate TENDER to be also sent in for a Cargo of 200 Tons Stockton Coal, under same conditions as above.
By order,
E. W. V. GRIBBLE, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Portland, 24th August, 1887.

BOROUGH OF REDFERN.
TENDERS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF STONEWARE PIPE SEWERAGE.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the Construction of Stoneware Pipe Sewerage, to be laid in portions of Surry Hills and Golden Grove Wards of this Borough.
Specifications and plans can be seen, and all information obtained, at the Council-chambers, on and after THURSDAY, 1st proximo.
Tenders will be received up till 3 p.m. on THURSDAY, 15th September proximo.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order.
R. W. CRIERSON, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Redfern, 26th August, 1887.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.
TENDERS will be received up till 3 p.m., on TUESDAY, 13th instant, for the undermentioned works:—
Ballasting and Blinding Norfolk and Suffolk streets
Ballasting and Blinding Cambridge-lane
Erecting Fence, Recreation Reserve.
Specifications, &c., to be seen upon application to the undersigned.
GEO. E. BLACKMORE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, 2nd September, 1887.

BOROUGH OF CAMPERDOWN.
TENDERS for Tar-paving will be received until 6 p.m. on TUESDAY, September 6. Specifications may be seen at the Council-chambers during office hours.
Tenders to be marked "Tender," and accompanied with a deposit of five pounds (£5), addressed to the Mayor.
M. J. MACLAUGHLIN, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, 31st August.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.
TENDERS are invited until TUESDAY, the 6th September, 7.30 p.m., for Forming a portion of Jeffrey-street.
Plans and specifications to be seen daily at Town Hall, Alfred-street.
P. A. TEMPLE, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, East St. Leonards, August 30, 1887.

CITY OF DUNEDIN.
TENDERS
will be received at the
TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE, Town Hall Buildings, DUNEDIN, NEW ZEALAND,
until 5 o'clock, p.m., on
WEDNESDAY, 19th OCTOBER, 1887,
for the supply of about
5950 TONS
of
New Zealand West Coast,
or
Newcastle (New South Wales)
COAL,
and also of
Australian Company's
SYDNEY SHALE,
delivered at the
Dunedin City Corporation Gas Works,
for a
PERIOD OF TWELVE MONTHS,
commencing
1st JANUARY, 1888.
SPECIFICATIONS may be seen on application at the office of this paper.
Further particulars can, if desired, be ascertained by application to the undersigned.
WM. B. TAYLOR, Secretary Gas Department, Dunedin, New Zealand.
Town Hall Buildings, Dunedin, 23rd August, 1887.

ENGLISH BANKRUPTCY STATUTE, 1883.
In the matter of LISTER HENRY, of Flinders-lane West, Melbourne, Warehouseman.
TO WHOLESALE DRAPERS and OTHERS.
TENDERS are invited for the following Assets in above Estate, viz.—
LOT 1.
Stock-in-Trade, &c., consisting of—

Manchester	£4932	13	5
Clothing and woollens	688	4	5
Dresses	3602	9	7
Mantles	1380	17	8
Fancy	4229	17	11
Hosiery and gloves	1706	19	5
Haberdashery	4286	8	7
	£20,825	6	0

LOT 2.

Trustees' interest in lease of premises, having over 8 years to run, with fittings, &c., valued at	£1005	7	6

Each lot must be tendered for separately.
Stock sheets and forms of tender may be obtained at our office, 28, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, and Messrs. Starkey and Taylor's, York-street, Sydney, or on the premises.
No tender will be entertained unless on our form, and must be accompanied by a bank draft or marked cheque equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of tender.
Tenders will be received up to noon on FRIDAY, 9th September, 1887.
Gentlemen wishing to inspect this stock are requested to arrange with Mr. Stogdale, on the premises, as to an appointment.
DANBY and GILMOUR,
Agents and Attorneys for F. H. Collison, the Trustee under the English Bankruptcy Statute, 1883.

HURSTVILLE MUNICIPALITY.
Separate TENDERS will be received up to 6 p.m., 8th September next, for the following works:—
1st. Formation and ballasting portion of Park-road, and construction of culvert.
2nd. Formation of M'Mahon-street, and ballasting two chains.
Specifications and drawings can be inspected at the Council-chambers during the usual office hours, viz., Tuesdays, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Thursdays, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Tenders to be endorsed thus: "Tender for —— Street" (as the case may be), and addressed "Council Clerk, Hurstville."
GEO. LEEDER, Council Clerk.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF GEORGE COOPER, of CORAKI, RICHMOND RIVER, GENERAL STOREKEEPER.
TENDERS are invited till the 7th September for the purchase of the following assets:—
STOCK-IN-TRADE.
DRAPERY.

Manchester	£97	9	4			
Dress stuffs, fancy, and millinery	147	16	11			
Hosiery and haberdashery	42	2	10			
Men's and youths' clothing	70	1	6			
Men's shirts, hats, scarfs, &c.	71	7	11			
				428	18	6
BOOTS and SHOES				124	18	6
GROCERIES				107	3	5
IRONMONGERY and CROCKERY				245	7	10
PATENT MEDICINES and FANCY GOODS				131	1	5
WORKING PLANT, HORSES, CART and HARNESS, BOAT, &c.				126	18	0
				£1164	2	8

The STOCK is in unusually good order, and well assorted in all departments, and offers a capital opportunity to those in search of a snug little business with good prospects.
The STORE PREMISES and DWELLING accommodation can be secured at a very low rental.
The STOCK is now open for inspection on the premises, where tender forms and every information can be obtained, or from the undersigned.
THE USUAL TEN PER CENT. CONDITIONS.
DAVENPORT, MILES, and CO., Accountants and Trade Assignees.
Moore-street, Sydney, August 29, 1887.

IMPERATIVE SALE.—To Printers, Lithographers, and others.—TENDERS will be received for the whole of the Plant, Steam Litho. Machine, Stones, Printing Presses, Type, &c., necessary for carrying on a large business. Particulars can be obtained, and tenders delivered by Thursday, the 8th instant. LOVETT and HELLMRICH, 149, King-street.

MUNICIPALITY OF FIVE DOCK.
TENDERS will be received up to 7 p.m. on TUESDAY, September 6, for the undermentioned works:—
1. For forming and ballasting a portion of Lyons-road
2. For forming and ballasting a portion of North-road (fresh tenders)
3. For cutting down, filling, forming, and ballasting of Collingwood, Wolseley, and Havelock streets, Drummoyne (separate tenders)
4. For cutting down and forming a portion of Blackwall Point-road (fresh tenders)
5. For painting of and repairs to Town Hall
6. Fresh tenders for construction of wharf, foot of Cary-street, Birkenhead.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the Town Hall during office hours—Tuesdays, 7 to 9 p.m.; Saturdays, 3 to 5 p.m.
Plans and specifications for the Wharf can be seen daily at the office of David Ramsay, jun., licensed surveyor, 109, Pitt-street.
GEO. GREVILLE, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Five Dock, August 26, 1887.

N. S. W. UNITED LABOURERS' PROTECTIVE SOCIETY.
TENDERS are invited for a BAND of 16 performers, for Monday, October 3, for procession. Tenders to be addressed W. GILLESPIE, Secretary Lighthouse Hotel, Bathurst-street, by MONDAY EVENING, September 5th.

SOUTH BULLI COLLIERY.
TENDERS are invited up to 12th September for the Purchase, for a period of five years, of the whole of the Coal the output of the South Bulli Colliery.
Terms and conditions of sale may be seen at my Office, 130, York-street, where all information can be obtained by intending tenderers.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOMAS SAYWELL, Proprietor, 130, York-street.

TENDERS.
ASSOCIATION CRICKET GROUND.
TENDERS for PAVILION and GRAND STAND BARS.
Separate TENDERS are invited for the Purchase of the Right to Sell Liquors at the Bar of the Members' Pavilion, and at the internal Bars of the Grand Stand (i.e. the bars under the stand), and that upon the Smoking Reserve, for a period of 12 months, from the 1st of October next.
Tenders (sealed) to be forwarded on or before SATURDAY, 17th September next, to the undersigned, from whom schedules of prices to be charged at the bars and all other particulars may be obtained.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order of the Trustees.
S. H. FAIRLAND, Secretary A. C. Ground.
Office—99, Elizabeth-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are hereby invited for the ERECTION of MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS, CONCERT HALL, &c., for the BOROUGH of LEICHHARDT.
The work may be tendered for as follows:
1st. Excavation, Masonry, and Brickwork.
2nd. Carpentry and Finishing Trades
3rd. The whole in one sum.
Endorsed Tenders to be forwarded before noon on MONDAY, the 19th instant, to the undersigned, at whose offices plans and specifications may be obtained.
DRAKE and WALCOT, Architects, 109, Pitt-street.

TO CONTRACTORS, LANDSCAPE GARDENERS, &c.
TENDERS are invited for the Formation of Asphalt Tennis Court and Pathways, Turfing, Drainage, Erection of Retaining Walls, Fencing, and Outhouses, at Wyoming, Petersham, for A. E. Jaques, Esq.
Plans and specification to be seen at the offices of the undersigned, to whom endorsed Tenders are to be delivered on or before THURSDAY, 8th September, at Noon.
COWARD and BELL, Architects, Turkish Bath-chambers, 29, Bligh-street.

TO CONTRACTORS, &c.
TENDERS are invited for Tar Paving, Turfing, Drainage, Light Iron Railing, &c., to ground in front of St. Andrew's School, Pitt-street.
Plans and specification to be seen at the offices of the undersigned, to whom endorsed Tenders are to be delivered on or before THURSDAY, 8th September, at noon.
COWARD and BELL, Architects, Turkish Bath-chambers, 29, Bligh-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Masonry, Carpentry, Joinery, Slating, &c., in connection with the Scots' Church Improvements.
Plans, Specifications, and further particulars may be obtained at the architects' offices.
Tenders to be delivered on or before MONDAY, 12th September, 1887.
ELLIS and SLATYER, Architects, Scott's-chambers, 96, Pitt-street.

TENDER.
To be LET by TENDER, the LEASE of those commodious PREMISES, situate No. 364, George-street, lately occupied by Mr. E. R. Cole, bookseller.
Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned not later than WEDNESDAY, the 7th September.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
For further information apply
STARKEY and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, 82A, York-street, Sydney.

TO CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are required for the Erection of a Parsonage at St. Mary's, South Creek.
Plans and specifications can be seen at the residence of Mr. Neale, St. Mary's; or at the office of the undersigned, to whom Tenders are to be sent on or before MONDAY, 19th September, 1887.
ARTHUR BLACKET, Architect, Bond-street, Sydney.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, addressed to the "Executors of the late Mr. H. Coates," for the Lease of the Premises, George-street, Parramatta, lately occupied by S. Hamilton.
Tenderers will state term of lease required. Keys on application. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be received.
THOS. H. RAWLINGS, George-street, Parramatta.

TENDERS will be received up to MONDAY, September 5, for Tar-paving in the Municipality of Strathfield for the remainder of the current year; also, for Stone Kerb and one Stone Gutter on Boulevard, from Strathfield station to culvert.
Specifications can be seen at the Council chambers during office hours; or at the office of the undersigned, Burwood, from 9 to 5.
F. G. BENNETT, Council Clerk, Strathfield.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of a Block of Shops at Ashfield.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the offices of the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be delivered, on or before Monday, September 19th, at 12 o'clock noon.
SHEERIN and HENNESSY, Architects, City Chambers, 243, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are invited until MONDAY, the 19th proximo, at noon, for the Erection and Completion of a Manse, to be built at Penrith. Plans and particulars to be obtained at the Office of the Architects; and at Mr. W. H. Judge's, High-street, Penrith.
A. L. and G. M'CREDIE, Architects and Consulting Engineers, 250, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a VILLA at Woolwich, for George Tidswell, Esq. To close MONDAY, September 5, 1887.
ARTHUR BLACKET, Architect.
Bond-street, Sydney.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p.m. on Monday, September 5, for Making and Forming a Road on the Tennyson Estate, Parramatta River.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the offices of the Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited, Park and Castlereagh streets.
EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, General Manager.

TO MASONS and IRONWORKERS.—Separate TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of Stonewall, Gate Piers, and Iron Palisade to the Residence of H. A. Smith, Esq., Stanmore.
Plans and specification may be obtained at the Office of the Architect, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before 13th instant.
DAVID ELPHINSTONE, Architect, 65, Market-street.

TO PAINTERS.
TENDERS are invited for Painting and Decorating 3 Cottages, situated at Lady Robinson's Beach.
Apply KENWOOD and KERLE, Architects and Consulting Engineers, 141, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS will be received until MONDAY, September 19th, for the Erection of a Villa Residence at Elizabeth Farm, near Parramatta for J. S. Staff, Esq. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
ALBERT BOND, Architect.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of a COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Warren-road, Marrickville.
PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS may be seen at the offices of Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves, 8a, Pitt-street, where tenders, endorsed "TENDER for COTTAGE, MARRICKVILLE," will be received up to noon on SATURDAY, 10th instant.

TENDERS FOR BAND.—TENDERS are invited for Band of 12 Performers for Eight Hour Day (procession only) to lead Tinsmiths and Sheet Ironworkers' Society.
To close on Monday, September 5, at 7 p.m., addressed G. MITCHELL, care 75, Market-street.

TENDERS.—The Bricklayers' Society invite TENDERS for Band, 16 efficient Performers, procession only, 8-Hours Demonstration.
Close 7th. Address
E. H. JACKSON, Secretary, 3, Richard-street, Newtown.

TO BAKERS and CONFECTIONERS.—Wanted, TENDERS for large Shop and Bakehouse complete, with every convenience, situated at the corner of Henderson-road, Alexandria. It is in the best position in the borough. Apply to SETCHELL and SON, Builders, Alexandria.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS invited till 10th instant for two Residences, Randwick. Plans, &c., at the Offices of HILL and SMITH, Architects, Equitable-chambers, corner Pitt and Park streets, and Church-street, Parramatta.

TENDERS are invited for a BRASS BAND for the Locomotive Annual Picnic to Ryde on the 15th instant. Open till Wednesday next.
THOMAS NUTTALL, Hon. Sec.
24, Wyndham-street, Alexandria.

TO TENDERERS.—On and after 1st SEPTEMBER we have decided on reducing the price of our LIME to 35s per ton, delivered. Cement, Plaster, Laths, Hair, &c., of best quality, at lowest rates. Special quotations for delivery by rail.
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TO DRAINERS.—TENDERS are required for Draining a Villa at Manly Beach. All information may be obtained from the undersigned, to whom sealed tenders are to be addressed on or before MONDAY, the 12th September.
A. EDWD. SHERVEY, Architect, 39, O'Connell-street.

TENDERS FOR CLEARING.—TENDERS will be received up to 10th September for Clearing on about 130 Acres of Land at Cabramatta Railway Station.
For particulars, apply to HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-st.

TENDERS wanted, to Build Brick Cottage, Waterloo. Plans may be seen. W. Airth, Arthur-street, Leichhardt tram terminus, after 7 p.m. o'clock, Monday next.

TENDERS.—Wood Cubes, large or small quantities, for SALE, cheap. Bowra Wharf, Blackwattle Bay, Pyrmont.

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WATER FRONTAGES £30, ACRE BLOCKS; adjoining BLOCKS, £12 10s ACRE.
£1 deposit; £1 per month.
Call for Plans and Reports.
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122A, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

TENDERS.—To Oven Builders.—We have on hand Bakers' Oven Fittings, complete, from £6 to £20 per set.
SWINNERTON and FREW, Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

TENDERS required for Completing an Unfinished Cottage at Arncliffe. Particulars from
HENRY A. WILSHIRE, Architect, Fitz-Evan-chambers, 50, Castlereagh-street.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of Three Shops on the Corso, Manly. Plans and specifications may be seen at W. Sargent's, 145, Castlereagh-street, after 9 a.m.

TENDERS are required for the SUPPLY of FODDER for the North Illawarra Coal-mining Company, Limited, for a period of 6 months. Particulars at Office, 9, Gresham-street.
J. W. GRIERSON, Secretary.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS wanted for small Building in Elizabeth-street.
For plans and all particulars apply E. WEITZEL, Architect, 8, Bridge-street.

TENDERS (Labour only, separate).—For Plumbing, Plastering, and Painting 6-roomed house at Katoomba.
Apply W. G. WILLIAMS, Timber Yard, Liverpool-road, Ashfield.

TENDERS wanted for Lath and Plastering 2 rooms and hall. J. Ellis, Queen-street, Granville.

TENDERS for Erection of Coachhouse and Stables, &c., at Creswood, Concord. Plans, Chemist, Strathfield.

TENDERS for Enlargement of Three Rooms. Apply Mrs. Glover, 99, Princes-street.

TENDERS wanted for the Fencing of seven houses, Harrington-street, next Ragged School.

TENDERS wanted for Plastering Shop and Dwelling in Bourke-street. Wilson and Sons, 37, Derwent-st., Glebe.

TENDERS for Palisading, &c. Wait, butcher, Abercrombie-street, Golden Grove.

TENDERS wanted, Supply 17,000 Bricks. Leave samples with Jas. Hutson, Union-road, Auburn.

TENDERS wanted for the Plumbing and Plastering Work of 4 Cottages. W. Wyatt, Hordern-street, Newtown.

TENDERS.—For Sale, 6 Box Frames and Sashes, complete; also, Mantelpieces, cheap. 46, Watkin-st., Newtown.

TENDERS given for Newells, Balusters, Brackets, Handrail Mouldings, Mantelpieces. Buchanan, 446, El'beth-st.

TENDERS received till Monday for Building Hull of Drogher. Particulars from R. Langley, 92, Sussex-street.

TO BUILDERS and Contractors.—Spiral or Carved Newells and Balusters. Buchanan, 446, Elizabeth-street.

TO Quarrymen, Carters, &c.—TENDERS for Ballast, delivered New Wharf, Blackwattle Bay.

WANTED, £1500, at 5 per cent., on first-class security—freehold land and buildings—for 1, 2, or 3 years. For particulars address Investment, Box 75, General Post Office.

WANTED, TENDERS for a large quantity best Melbourne BLUE METAL. Apply at the Office, Botanic Gardens.

WANTED, TENDERS for Brickwork, labour only, W. Waring, next Stone-crusher, Newtown Station.

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TENDERS.—To Plasterers and Painters.—Ochres, Venetian Reds, Blue Blacks, for 9s 6d per cwt.; genuine Red and White Lead, from 22s 6d cwt., and 20s cwt.; Dry Colours, of every description, cheap; Mixed Paints, 3 p. for 1s; Brushes, 8's, from 4s 6d; Plasterers' Brushes, very cheap; Raw Oil, 3s per gallon; Boiled, 3s 3d per gallon; Wallpaper, from 3d per roll; Glass, cut to sizes, very cheap. At Regent House Oil and Colour Co., 869, George-street, late Murphy's, close to Harris-street.

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65, York-street, opposite Wynyard-street.
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Council-chambers, September 2, 1887.

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LOST, new Leather PURSE, containing £1-note and receipts. 10s Reward on returning same to News Agent, 589, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

LOST, on Tuesday night last, Silver BROOCH, with name Nan engraved, on or near Newtown-road. Finder rewarded on returning same to Johnston's Hotel, Darlington.

LOST, a CHEQUE.—The Public are cautioned against negotiating a CHEQUE, drawn by Joseph Leeds and Co. on the Mercantile Bank of Sydney, in favour of T. Ivory, for £32; payment stopped. T. Ivory, 334, Crown-street.

LOST, in the vicinity of King-street, yesterday morning, a little BOY, dressed in tawnish tweed suit and sailor hat, fair complexion. Anyone knowing his whereabouts kindly return him to the Central Police Station.

LOST, Thursday afternoon, Ocean-street 'bus or near Double Bay, PURSE, containing two half-sovereigns and change. Ten Shillings Reward. Timekeeper, Ocean-street 'bus stand.

ONE POUND REWARD.—STRAYED from Enfield, one Bay HORSE, branded A on the near shoulder, one hip down, hole in wither as if caused by a festloe. J. Jubb, dairyman, Enfield.

ONE POUND REWARD.—LOST, one Bay HORSE, branded like W, with one white foot and white spots on back; also, one Brown MARE, branded HB, with white hind feet, white stripe on face. Anyone returning them or giving any information to G. A. Pollock, Jane-street, Randwick, will receive the above reward.

PURSE Lost, between tram terminus and residence. Reward, Mrs. Webster, Bishop's-avenue, Waverley.

STRAYED from Moore Park, a brown PONY, B near shoulder. Reward, Palace Hotel, Haymarket.

FOUND, a sum of MONEY. Apply 67, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

FOUND, in Erskine-street, Monday night, a RING. Apply Walcourt Ladies' College, Balmain E.

Military Notices.

SHOOTING on the Paddington Rifle Range will commence THIS DAY, Saturday, at 2.30 sharp. Squads fall in at 2.30.

ALEX. FRASER, Captain, Hon. Sec.

Municipal Elections.

BOROUGH OF WOOLLAHRA.

EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY.

DOUBLE BAY WARD.

NOTICE is hereby given that a MEETING of the Electors will be holden at the Council-chambers, Ocean-street, on THURSDAY, 8th day of September, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of Nominating and Electing an Alderman for the above Ward in the room of Honorable James Norton, M.L.C., resigned.

Nominations must be in writing, and delivered to the undersigned seven clear days before the said day of nomination.

W. J. TRICKETT, Mayor and Returning-Officer.

Council-chambers, Woollahra,
August 28, 1887.

Coal, Firewood, &c.

COAL.

The NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE and OIL COMPANY are now selling LARGE COAL from their Hartley Vale Colliery at 5s (five shillings) per ton in trucks, at pit's mouth.

Brickmasters, coal merchants, and others will derive considerable benefit in purchasing this coal, as it is cheaper, and the freights are less, than those from other Western collieries.

Further particulars at HEAD OFFICE, 102, Clarence-street; or from W. RICHARDSON, Agent, Young-street, Annandale.

BEST SPEC. IN THE MARKET.—St. Leonards, Perth.—River Frontages opposite the city. Impartial reports by W. Fraser Martin, Esq., M.P., and Pike and Owen. Water frontages £30, acre blocks; adjoining blocks, £12 10s acre; £1 deposit, £1 per month. Call for plans and reports. GARRARD and HAMILTON, 122A, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

Professions, Trades, &c

ACTIVE AGENTS wanted for a work just arrived; beautifully illustrated throughout. 269, Castlereagh-street.

AMATEUR Minstrels.—Wanted, Tenors and Basses, troupe forming. Address X., 14, Moncur-st., Woollahra.

APPRENTICE to the Watchmaking, &c., wanted; age no objection; small premium 784, George-st., Haymarket.

ARTICLED PUPIL wanted, small premium. Dentist, Elliott Bros., Sydney.

A STRONG YOUTH, used to planing timber, wanted. H. Bills, 121½, Liverpool-street.

AT Miss Butler's Registry, 100, Market-st.—Wanted, PAINTER, for station work, some time, free pass.

ACTIVE CANVASSERS wanted, house to house; deposit necessary. C. Smith and Co., 247, George-street. Monday and Tuesday.

AUSTRALIAN WIDOWS' FUND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited. Established 1871.

CANVASSERS WANTED, Haymarket Branch. Very highest commission and salary to experienced agents.

Gentlemen wishing to start as Canvassers for this popular Society will be thoroughly instructed, and every consideration allowed for non-success. None but gentlemen of good address and the best of references need apply.

DAVID J. DAVIS, Branch Manager.
Haymarket Branch, 722, George-street.

BACON Curing Business.—Wanted, a PARTNER, with £1000. Cowper, 435, Oxford-street, Paddington.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, good Finisher for Women's and Maids' E.S. Spencer and Hall, 131, Morehead-st., Redfn.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, a steady MAN for all kinds of work. Apply Grenenger and Rapp, 317, Pitt-street.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, MACHINISTS, makers and finishers. Dale and Johnson, Waverley-rd., Woollhara.

BUTCHERS.—Just opened, a shipment of Blackett's Butchers' Smocks and Aprons. Johnson & Co., 243, Geo.-st.

BOOKKEEPER (Assistant) wanted, must understand double entry. Apply, with refs., stating age and experience. Box 475, G. P. O.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, a young MAN to do repairs and look after shop. G. C. Hamey, Tattersall's-buildings, Castlereagh-street.

BRISBANE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

LADY SUPERINTENDENT wanted for the above; salary, £100 per an. Replies, with testimonials, to be sent not later than 24th September, addressed to the President, care of the undersigned, from whom copies of rules can be had.

By order of Committee,
TURNER and STRONG, Secretaries.
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CARPENTER wanted, small job. Apply 9 and 10 a.m., R. Moss, 178, Phillip-street.

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C. G. L. BOYCE, Hon. Sec.

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AGENTS are now required for town and country. The very HIGHEST REMUNERATION offered to gentlemen of reliable character and superior energy.

Previous experience not essential, as all agents receive the fullest instructions before undertaking their duties.

This is an eminently remunerative opportunity to first-class men, who will receive immediate appointments.

Apply, personally, to the Superintendent of Agents, at the Society's Head Office, 43, Castlereagh-st.

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DRAMATIC ART taught by thoroughly experienced actor and manager, priv. less. Proteus, Box 713, G. P. O.

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DRESSMAKING.—Smart, clever Bodice and Skirt Hands and Imps., short hours. Mde. Taylor, 237, Wm.-st.

DENTISTS.—Wanted, immediately, first-class ASSISTANT, to act as locum tenens. Apply to H. P. Flavelle, Esq. (Flavelle Bros. and Roberts), George-street.

DULY qualified MEDICAL MAN required at once, to travel with first-class agent; salary and fees. Australian Widows' Fund, 263, George-street.

DRAPERS.—We shall have vacancies for 4 ASSISTANTS at 10 o'clock on Monday morning.

Apply to Mr. ALFRED HORDERN, ground floor.
HORDERN BROTHERS, 211, Pitt-street.

ENGLISH AGENCY.
The undersigned, now on a visit to England, will undertake The Sale of Landed Estates, Mining Properties, Loans on Mortgage, Shipments of Goods and Machinery, or any other Agency Business.

Interim address, care of the Mercantile Bank of Sydney, London.

FREDERICK COOK,
formerly Manager Union Bank of Australia, Melbourne.

FOURTH-CLASS SCHOOL, 120m. from Sydney, exchanged for 5th or 6th near Sydney. 430, Cleveland-st.

FIRE INSURANCE.

THE LONDON AND LANCASHIRE COMPANY require the services of a GENTLEMAN to represent the Company in New South Wales.

Applications to be addressed to the Melbourne Superintendent, care of Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., Pitt-street.

GOVERNESS required immediately for country, Eng., music, drawing, dancing, fancy work. Vera, P.O., Pad.

GROCERY.—Wanted, smart resp. Lad, must understand the business. D. S. Mutton, Burfit-street, Leichhardt.

GOVERNESSES' and Tutors' Institute, 55, Hunter-street.—Mrs. Mead requires Ladies for Moree, £40; Gladstone, 45 guineas; Merri Merri, 45 guineas.

GOVERNESSES' and TUTORS' INSTITUTE.—H. N. Montagu, 3, Montagu-chambers, Elizabeth and Hunter streets. Families and principals of schools may rely on obtaining none but thoroughly qualified and efficient governesses and tutors.

HAIRDRESSER.—Wanted, good HAND; good wages. W. Kentwell, 102, Oxford-street, Paddington.

HAIRDRESSER wanted. 1, Albion-street, opposite Belmore Park.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a HAND for Saturday. T. B. Sourrah, 86, Castlereagh-street.

HAIRDRESSERS.—First-class Gentleman's HAND wanted; constant. J Keam, Junction-st., St. Leonards.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted, for merchant's office, one having had some experience preferred. References required. Apply Box 92, G. P. O.

LEGAL.—The Advertiser is desirous of purchasing an INTEREST in an Established Business. Principals only. Address Confidential, General Post Office.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, stylish MILLINER and SALESWOMAN. Apply T. W. Line, Manly.

MEDICAL.—Surgeon wishes to retire; will sell for £80, a Cash PRACTICE of £250, no clubs, no credit; active man might double same; leading suburb; good house. O. D. O., Herald Office.

MILLINER.—Wanted, for the country, a first-class MILLINER, must thoroughly understand her business and be a good Saleswoman; permanent and comfortable situation.

Apply on Wednesday, from 11 to 1,
R. GRAY, SON, and CO.

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PARTNER with £200, wanted, in Produce Business, grand prospects. Brooks, 85, Castlereagh-street.

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PARTNERSHIP in an established Agency wanted, goods branch preferred. Carpet, Herald.

PARTNERSHIPS arranged quickly and quietly. Woodin and Robberds, 138, Pitt-street.

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PARTNER.—Gentleman, lately back from South Sea Islands, desires PARTNERSHIP in an established business. Para, Herald.

PARTNERSHIP.—A Gentleman, of thorough mercantile experience, desires an active interest in lucrative business; will invest £500 after strict investigation. Particulars to Boston, Herald Office.

PARTNERSHIPS.—The City Agency Company have clients up to £2000. 8, City-chambers, 243, Pitt-street.

JOHN SUTCLIFFE, Manager.

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PARTNERSHIP.—A gentleman, with considerable available cash, and having himself extensive business experience in Sydney, is desirous of purchasing an interest in an established business; credentials exchanged. Communicate, in first instance, to Spiro, Box 928, G. P. O.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.

WANTED, a smart intelligent MAN as NIGHT PORTER, must be able to read, write, and understand the use of the telephone. Apply to the Medical Superintendent, from 10 to 11 a.m.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES' COLLEGE, Sydney.—APPLICATIONS for the office of LADY SUPERINTENDENT are now invited. For particulars apply to the Principal, J. MARDEN, Esq., M.A., Derrick-street, Kew, Melbourne. Applications to be forwarded on or before the 26th September, 1887, to the

Rev. J. KINROSS, D.D.,
St. Andrew's College, Sydney.

PORT DARWIN TIN COMPANY, Limited. Mine: Mount Wells, Northern Territory.

TO MINE MANAGERS.

APPLICATIONS for the position of Mining Manager to the Port Darwin Tin Company, Limited, Mount Wells, Northern Territory, enclosing testimonials, will be received up to Tuesday, September 13, 1887. Salary, £450 per annum. Applications to be addressed to the Secretary,

C. P. SMITH, Exchange, Sydney.

SALESWOMAN.—Wanted, first-class Saleswoman, for mil. and gen. drapery. Morris, Fernie, and Co., Summer Hill.

STEADY MAN, used to butchering. Apply early, 26, Argyle-street, Miller's Point.

STRATHFIELD.—Miss Reed requires young Pupil Teacher; tuition in exchange for ser. Call Monday afternoon.

SMART BOY wanted, used to office. Apply to Ekich and Co., 95, Pitt-street, between 8.30 and 9 a.m., only.

SECRETARYSHIP or otherwise.—Wanted, at once, by gentleman from England, OCCUPATION in any position of trust; good testimonials and references; graduate of Cambridge, good accountant, shorthand; no objection to up country, good rider. Address John Pope Sisson, Perth, Western Australia.

TAILORS' CUTTING CLASS.—Practical and modern system taught. Refs. M. Leuschner, 233, Pitt-street.

TEETH Painlessly Extracted under Nitrous Oxide Gas every morning. Marshall Brothers, dentists, city.

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TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Required, first-class ASSISTANT at once. J. V. Brady, 423, George-street.

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TO TAILORS.—Wanted, good COAT-PRESSER. F. Hagon, 135, King-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, good all-round HANDS. 23, Womerah-avenue, off Upper William-street North.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, good Vest Hands, constant employment. G. W. Lorking, 271, Pitt-street.

TRAVELLERS.—Wanted, smart MEN, for country, drapery. Apply after 10 a.m., Mr. Gilbert, 570, George-street.

THE SERVICES of a first-class CANVASSER required to place a superior Work upon the market; £20 per week salary and commission. Apply for particulars,

COLE and CO., Book Arcade, George-street.

TO COMPOSITORS.—A MEETING of Members of the N. S. W. TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION will be held THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, in the Rooms, 119, King-street. Business: Revision of Rules. W. G. Higgs.

TO COMPOSITORS.—Compositors arriving in Sydney are requested to call on the secretary of the N. S. W. Typographical Association, at the Rooms, 119, King-street, before accepting employment. W. G. Higgs, secretary.

TO PARENTS and GUARDIANS.—Wanted, respectable Boy leaving school, as APPRENTICE to chemist's business; premium and references required; good scholar indispensable. Apply Box 435, G. P. O.

TO MERCHANTS, IMPORTERS, AND OTHERS.—Advertiser has completed arrangements for several English and American agencies throughout the colonies, requires the co-operation of firms at Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, and Adelaide, or would not object to join others in forming a company (indent and agency), with offices in above-named places. Della, Herald.

TO MINE MANAGERS.

Applications for the position of MINING MANAGER to the Lady Don Tin-mining Company, Limited, Poolamacca, Barrier Ranges, enclosing testimonials and stating salary required, will be received up to TUESDAY, 20th September.

Applications to be addressed to the Secretary.

F. E. HARRIS,
Burke-street, Silverton.

UNDERCLOTHING.—Good MACHINIST, for white work. Mack and Ellis, 236, Castlereagh-street.

VIOLIN Teacher desires Residence or Partnership with good violinist or pianist. Address S. L., Herald Office.

WANTED, a smart young MAN, for the butchering. Mr. W. Ashley, Church-street, Parramatta.

WANTED, a DRESSMAKER Apply Madame Vaillint, 46 and 48, Margaret-street, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, a rubble MASON, labour only. Apply W. Stubbs, near Highbury Barn, Arncliffe.

WANTED, good CARPENTER and Joiner. Apply early to J. Mason, next Queen's Hotel, Alfred-st., N. S.

WANTED, 2 PAINTERS. Stuart Bros., Brighton-place, opposite Police Station, George-street.

WANTED, a respectable Boy as OFFICE BOY. Apply 1 o'clock, 75, Clarence-street.

WANTED, 2 JUNIORS to assist behind counter; refs. indispensable. Ferris, Wilson, and Co., Parramatta.

WANTED, first-class TEACHER for Banjo and Violin. By letter, A. B. C., 144, William-street.

WANTED, a TRAVELLER. Fred H. Hagon, 135, King-street.

WANTED, APPRENTICES and Improvers to the dressmaking and millinery. Mrs. Stout, 603, George-st.

WANTED, Painter's IMPROVER. Ramore Public School.

WANTED, a HAIRCUTTER and Shaver. Apply Thomas, 115, Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a smart YOUTH for office. Apply by letter only, Buzacott and Armstrong, Market-street.

WANTED, good BLACKSMITH, for country. Apply Albert Gregory and Co., 40, Market-street.

WANTED, YOUTH, collect orders and deliver meat. Brown, butcher, Curtis-road, Balmain, near Dock.

WANTED, HAIRDRESSER. T. Allen, ornamental shaver and face decorator, 129, King-street.

WANTED, good strong LAD for the plumbing trade. 286, Pitt-street.

WANTED, good Clothing HANDS; also, smart Boy as Messenger. A. Finlayson and Co., 718, George-street.

WANTED, by steady, first-class tradesman, carpenter and joiner, WORK, piece or day work. Address Steady, Herald Office.

WANTED, for the Clarence River, competent DRAPER. Salary £2 10s, board out. Apply at 11 a.m. this day.

PETERSEN, BOESEN, and CO.

WANTED by person, 35 years age, position as Sub-editor, town or country, being thoroughly practical man, could if required superintend in composing room. Care of W. Neilley, 78, King-street.

WANTED, a GOVERNESS, capable of imparting a sound English education, together with music, French, and drawing. Apply by letter, enclosing testimonials, to G. C., Richmond.

WANTED, MEN, with small and large capital, take Half Share in good paying business. Particulars

BRADLEY and CO., 72, Pitt-street.

WOOL-CLASSER wanted; must be experienced, with good testimonials. Apply, by letter only, to

TRESECK, SON, and GAIR, 91, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Situations Wanted.

AGENT, travelling amongst farms and stations, wishes to take up extra Commission. Traveller, Herald Office.

A MIDDLE-AGED Englishwoman seeks a Situation as Cook or G. Servant; competent. E. L., 46, Bathurst-st. W.

AT the Servants' Home, 83, Market-st.—Waiting Engagements, elderly Men, very useful; young Men and Boys.

AT the Servants' Home, 83, Market-street, no charge to employers for engaging men and boys, town or country.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., G. Institute.—Waiting, French Nursery Governess, English, French, music, needlework.

A LADY recommends a respectable English person as ATTENDANT to an elderly or invalid lady. E. H., 61, Walker-street, Redfern.

AN EXPERIENCED young Lady desires to return to Tasmania for the summer, as useful Companion to a lady, with young children preferred. Open one week. Lillias, P. O., Stanmore.

A POULTRY Breeder, experienced, requires SITUATION on poultry farm, or management of ladies' fancy poultry farm; open a week. M. HUNTER, Rockdale Estate (late Yorkshire poultry farms, Bedale, England).

A RESPECTABLE English Woman, Protestant, seeks ENGAGEMENT as Housekeeper or any situation of trust; experienced; good references, &c. J., 14, Wigram-street, Forest Lodge.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., Governesses' Institute.—Waiting, exp. Visiting Governess, English, French, German, music, drawing, Latin; middle-aged Lady, English, music, French, drawing, painting; L. Help; L. and W. Housekeeper, 2½ years' ref, girl 12; L. Housekeeper, musical, with or without a daughter, 15; Dressmaker, private fam.; exp. Cook, 4 yrs.' refs., &c.

BAKERS.—Situation wanted, second or third hand, by steady man, wages mod., good ref. Baker, 175, Redfern-st.

BREWER.—Experienced, practical Brewer seeks Engagement, first-class refs. Brewer, 183, Albion-st., S. H.

BY good Man Cook, Ploughmen, Carters, Milkers, Butchers, Bakers, &c.; refs. Simmonds', 222, Castlereagh-st.

CERTIFICATED Ladies' NURSE Disengaged. Address, Nurse Payne, 3, Cascade-ter., Cascade-st., Pad.

COOK, female, thoroughly experienced, requires first-class SITUATION; good references. Mrs. B., Herald.

DRESSMAKER Disengaged, first-class fitter, by day or week. A. B. C., 100, Cleveland-street, Darlington.

DISENGAGED: Cook and Laundress, 23, good refs., country pref.; a Laundress, 25s, good refs.; a smart Housemaid, wait table; exp. Barmaids; excellent female Cooks, hotels or stations. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

ENGINEER requires SITUATION, manager or engineer works, draftsman, r'way, or hyd. wk. R. J. T., R'kw'd.

EXPERIENCED practical Upholsterer wants WORK at your own house or ot'rwise. 1. Hutchinson-st., St. Peters.

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GOOD foundry Blacking-maker wants WORK; knows all latest mixtures. Blacking, Herald.

GOOD Machinist wants EMPLOYMENT, Wertheim machine. May D., Redfern Post-office.

GOOD Needlewoman, with own machine, wishes sew and assist house; small salary. Amy, Glebe P. O.

GERMAN Gardener wants SITUATION at once, also willing to make himself useful in the house and kitchen. Address German Gardener, Herald Office.

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HOTEL or Family's WASHING wanted; refs. Mrs. P. M., 55, Cottenham-street, Glebe.

LADY offers Housekeeping gents., or superior Tuition students, for Home self, young relative (13). Piano, Herald.

LIGHT SITUATION wanted, House and Parlour Maid gentleman's family, suburbs. Ida, Post-office, Ashfield.

MR. MITCHELL has General Servants or Working H'keepers, H. Maids, waiting engage. Crystal-st., P'sham.

MASTER HAIRDRESSERS.—Respectable young man (23) wants to LEARN the trade, would give services free for one month, and would serve at £1 per week for other two months. A. W., Herald Office.

RESPECTABLE Widow wants Sit., good cook, as H.-keeper to 3 or 4 Gentlemen. 14, Kingsclere-ter., Alexandria.

REQUIRED, by young lady from England, SITUATION as Lady Help or Nursery Governess to young children, music; references. L., Leighton House, Stanmore.

REQUIRED, by a young Lady just arrived, MANAGEMENT in confectioner's or tearooms; some years' experience; good testimonials. Address Nelson, Herald Office.

SECURITY and refs. given for SITUATION of trust or otherwise; only at home. Interview. Man, Herald.

SITUATION wanted as Groom and Gardener; references. Address Shepherd and Son, Arcade, Pitt-street.

SITUATION wanted by steady married man, in any capacity, wages mod., good ref. L. A., 175, Redfern-st.

STEADY MAN wants place; used to horses. X. Y. Z., Post-office, Petersham.

THE Church Home, Crown-street, can take a family's WASHING, in the direction of Darlinghurst preferred.

TO Aerated Water Makers.—An experienced Wire and Bottler, also Carter, disengaged. Address, H. W., G. P. O.

TO Master Tailors.—Energetic, steady Cutter, 23, wishes Engagement; first-class refs. System, Herald.

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THE advertiser requires a responsible position, as BOOKKEEPER or MANAGER, where ability and integrity will be recognised; refs. from gentlemen of standing in financial and large business positions, who have been in daily contact for a number of years; country preferred. Bookkeeper, Haymarket P. O.

WANTED, SITUATION, Coachman, Groom, garden, milk; good reference, sober. J. M'G., Herald Office.

WANTED, Situation Coachman, groom, garden, milk, young man, good refs. R. S., Herald Office.

WANTED, SITUATION, first-class General, quiet child, 7 months, good refs. Mission Home, 30, N'town-r.

WANTED, by a young Lady, SITUATION in a refreshment or confectioner's shop. K. P., 15, Foster-st.

WANTED, by respectable Girl, Situation as Cook in private family. Apply by letter to A. C., Park-st. P.O.

WANTED, Situation, by respectable youth, 19, in gen. store or station, some experience. Energy, Herald.

WANTED by experienced Carter, SITUATION, town or country, refs. Apply T. F., Post-office, Park-street.

WELL educated young Man, 23, open, temporary employment, could give security. Willing, Herald Office.

WHOLESALE Druggist's Assistant desires ENGAGEMENT, good refs. Address Nux, Herald Office.

WANTED, SITUATION as General Servant, has good reference. Mrs. Halloran, Mannie-street, Balmain.

WANTED, Situation, as Barmaid, by respectable young Lady; country preferred. Anxious, General Post Office.

WANTED, by a thoroughly competent Dressmaker, Work in gentlemen's fam. Dressmaker, 145, Albion-st.

WANTED, AGENCIES and COMMISSIONS for Clarence River District, by energetic man. Apply, by letter, Agent, Town Hall Coffee Palace.

WANTED, EMPLOYMENT, by young Man, in any capacity, shorthand writer, &c., highest references. Apply J. W., Herald Office.

WANTED, by steady, trustworthy young Man, SITUATION as Manager or Assistant on dairy farm; good refs. Apply H. J. M., Herald Office.

WORKING HOUSEKEEPER.—Young widow, one little girl 3 years desires SITUATION as above, can make bread, good cook; country preferred; 48, Camden-street.

WANTED, SITUATION as Manager or Superintendent of Sheep or Cattle Station, over 20 years' experience in Queensland and New South Wales, highest references given. Address Jimbuck Drake, N. S. Wales.

WANTED, by a young Man recently arrived from Scotland, a SITUATION in the country, in a store or otherwise; has first-class testimonials. Apply, stating particulars, H. F., Herald Office.

WANTED, SITUATION as Housekeeper or General Servant, by a respectable young married woman with a healthy child 7 months old; highest references. Open for a week. Mrs. Bouron, care of Mr. Clifton, George-street, Camperdown.

WANTED, by a young Scotchman, recently arrived, who has had 4 years' experience in a shipbroker's office in Aberdeen, a SITUATION in a shipping or other office; first-class references. Apply A. F., Herald Office.

YOUNG Cook and Laundress and House and Parlour Maid waiting Engagement. By letter, 183, Elizabeth-street.

YOUNG Lady desires SITUATION as Companion or Lady Help, good needlewoman, refs. Laura, G. P. O.

YOUNG Cook and L., also Nurse and Needle Maid, Protestants, require Situation together. Box 438, G. P. O.

YOUNG Man desires SITUATION, milk, groom, &c. Industry, Herald Office.

YOUNG Man from Solitary Islands wants Situation, Gen. Useful, 12s, waiting 2 days. E. B., Crofts, 95, Wm.-s.

YOUTH wishes SITUATION in merchant's office or ot'rwise; school refs., no exp. J. M. J., 12, North-st., L'chdt.

YOUNG Lady desires a Situation as W. Housekeeper, g. cook, also musical. Address C. H., P. O., Newtown.

YOUNG MAN, 25, Grocery, ironmongery, and Bookkeeping, refs., total abstainer. G. L., Herald.

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Wanted, HORSES and Tip DRAYS, to be employed in carting ballast from the Gas works, Mortlake.

Apply for information, &c., to JAMES CASEY, Overseer, Broughton-street, Concord.

JOHN CANDLISH, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Concord,
September 2, 1887.

NEEDLEWOMAN, with knowledge of dressmaking, wanted for week after next, refs. C. K. A., Herald.

SMART BOY, about 16, wanted, for orders. G. Richardson, butcher, Manly.

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WANTED, a thoroughly experienced BARMAID. Apply Manchester Arms Hotel, after 10 a.m.

WANTED, a strong, respectable LAD, references. 12, Sydney Arcade.

WANTED, first-class BARMAN, references. Grand Pier Hotel, Manly.

WANTED, young General SERVANT. Apply this morning, Mrs. Russell, Taruna, John-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, steady respectable MAN to Rent Cab. J. Hackett, Lachlan-street, off Bourke-street, Redfern.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT and a Housemaid. Mrs. S. MacDonnell, East Crescent-st., M'Mahon's Point.

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WANTED, young WOMAN, as Cook and Laundress small family. The Towers, Neutral Bay.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply 242, Elizabeth-street, corner Gipps-st., opp. Belmore Park.

WANTED, experienced General SERVANT. Apply Mrs. Macknight, Thrupp's-road, Neutral Bay.

WANTED, tidy GIRL, to mind baby and assist housework. 3, Dalerowan-terrace, Parbury, Petersham.

WANTED, a thorough House and Parlour MAID. Apply 9 to 1, 80, Bayswater-road, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a useful GIRL. Apply 97, Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a GIRL for housework; permanent com. home and small salary in return servs. M. T. W., Herald.

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WANTED, little GIRL, mind baby, be useful, sleep at home. Tenby, Allan's-avenue, Petersham.

WANTED, young GIRL, to assist in housework. Mrs. Mitchell, Boundary-street, Croydon.

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WANTED, a useful GIRL, sleep at home. Mrs. Robertson, 3, Vulcan-terrace, Union-street, Pyrmont.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply to Mrs. Mailler, Fitzroy-street (first house), Burwood.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, good reference req. Windsor Castle Hotel, King and Elizabeth streets.

WANTED, a respectable young Girl as General Servant. 3, Nelson-ter., Moore Park-road, op. Rifle Butts.

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WANTED, good plain COOK and LAUNDRESS; small family. Mrs. A. Davis, Braeside, Forth-st, Woollhara.

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WANTED, a young GIRL, about 14 or 15. Apply to Mrs. Jenkyn, St. David's College, Balmain.

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WANTED, a Cook and Laundress, immediately. Tallorina, Edgecliff-road, Waverley, near Adelaide Brewery.

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WANTED, General Servants, Cooks, L's., useful Girls waiting, H. P. M. Mrs. Welsh, Railway-s., P'sham.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT, middle-aged woman pref., refs. Mrs. Hudson, 314, Oxford-st., P'ton.

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WANTED, respectable young GIRL, for general h'work.; refs. 220, Bourke-s., bet. Lpool. and Stanly sts.

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